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The Misses Clara Steinbach, Inez Burmeister, Margaret LaBour, Reba Smart, and Jack Rogers and Robert Searls, children of the Wood County Demonstration school delighted the audience with their songs and recitations.

SEVEN INJURED AS STEAMERS COLLIDE

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New York, Dec. 17—Seven seamen who were injured in a collision between the Liner Panama and United States Destroyer Graham off Seagirt last night, arrived in New York today. They were taken to the naval hospital at Brooklyn. Confusion of signals it is said was the cause of the collision. All the injured were from the Graham's crew.

ASK DEBS RELEASE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 16—Victor Berger, Milwaukee Socialist, who was twice refused a seat in the house of representatives, called on President Harding today with an appeal for the release of Eugene Debs.

MERCHANTS NOTICE

The Merchants of Wisconsin Rapids are requested to mail a check for $1.00 to W. F. Gleue, chairman of the committee on organization of the Mercantile Bureau. This money is to be used for the purpose of purchasing candy to be distributed to the children on Tuesday afternoon when they enter the theaters for the free matinee. Your committee decided that it would be a good cause and urges each merchant to send remittance promptly. The candy will be purchased reasonably and any residue left after the purchase of the candy will be kept in the treasury for organization and other legitimate purposes.

By the Committee

MUNICIPALITIES MAY NOW SUPPRESS BOOZE

Madison, Wis., Dec. 17—Municipalities now have the power to suppress entirely the manufacture, sale, transportation or possession of intoxicating liquors for any purpose whatever, W. Stanley Smith, prohibition commissioner, advises district attorneys and peace officers of the state in a letter today.

As a result of the recent opinion of the attorney general, holding that cities could enact local prohibition ordinances, Mr. Smith says that "they have the power to prohibit a physician from writing a prescription for intoxicating liquor, or a druggist from filling such a prescription, to prohibit the sale of patent medicines or extracts containing alcohol, and in general to make their own municipality 'bone dry'."

STATE REVISIONS IN INCOME TAXES

NEW REGULATIONS WILL GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1; RATES FOR 1921 ARE UNCHANGED.

Milwaukee — "Enactment of new revenue legislation has brought to the offices of Collectors of Internal Revenue a flood of inquiries regarding various provisions. The Revenue Act of 1921 became effective November 23, 1921, "unless otherwise provided for."

"To avoid error in the preparation of their returns and later difficulties with the Bureau of Internal Revenue taxpayers are advised to carefully note the changes and when they become effective.

"The excess profits tax is repealed as of January 1, 1922. The rates for 1921 are unchanged.

The surtax rates for the calendar year 1921 are unchanged ,and range from 1 per cent on the amount of net income between $5,000 and $6,000 to 65 per cent on the amount of net income in excess of $1,000,000. For the calendar year 1922 the surtax rates range from 1 per cent on the amount of net income between $6,000 and $10,000 to 50 per cent on the amount by which the net income exceeds $200,000.

"The exemption allowed for a dependent is increased from $200 to $400. Married persons living with husband or wife and heads of families are allowed a personal exemption of $2,500 (instead of $2,000) unless the net income is in excess of $5,000 in which case the personal exemption is only $2,000. The act provides that in no case shall the reduction of the personal exemption from $2,500 to $2,000 operate to increase the tax which would be payable if the exemption were $2,500 by more than the amount of net income in excess of $5,000. This is to overcome the disparity in the case of two taxpayers, one of whom is just within the lower $2,000 exemption and the other just within the higher $2,500 exemption.

"Single persons, and married persons not living with husband or wife are allowed an exemption of $1,000. Non-resident aliens are allowed a single personal exemption of $1,000. Persons having gross incomes for 1921 of $5,000 or over are required to make a return, regardless of the amount of net income.

WEATHER TO CONTINUE COLD FOR FEW DAYS

Geo. T. Nixon stated this morning that the prediction for this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow morning are unsettled and mostly cold weather followed by generally fair and then slowly rising temperature. He states that the temperatures may not rise until Sunday afternoon or probably Monday.

The extreme temperatures today are 22 and 18 degrees. Last year they were 42 and 17 degrees. The coldest was 19 below zero in 1903. The sun rose this morning at 7:33 a. m. and set this evening at 4:29 p. m. The total melted snow during the past three days measures 1.55 inches. This is slightly over a half inch of melted snow in a day.

RETURNS FROM SAFETY FIRST MEETING

F. H. Rosebush returned Thursday morning from Milwaukee where he attended a large Safety First meeting. About fifteen hundred delegates were present and a very enthusiastic meeting was held.

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Lindenfeld, whose arrest was reported to the department of justice by the Associated Press, was described by Burns as the key to the solution of the mystery and "the only man we know in the world that knows all about it."

Intimate With Reds

Lindenfeld himself was not implicated in the explosion, Burns declared, but was so close to the radical elements who perpetrated it that he knew all about it. The Third International is said to have been the moving spirit behind the plot, and Burns asserts that if the information obtainable from Lindenfeld proves as expected, arrests of the leaders in the plot will be immediate.

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Lindenfeld is described as a cousin of Rosa Luxemburg, the German radical Socialist leader who was shot to death in Berlin early in 1919, after having been beaten by a mob.

Timed To Get Morgan

His confession, the police state, gives the names of the ringleaders and the New York City address where the bomb was manufactured and says also that the bomb was intended for J. P. Morgan, but exploded prematurely.

According to Cosgrove and Paul Attendori, who trailed Lindenfeld, the suspect in his confession names five principals now in Europe, who shared the money for the job. One of the principals, the confession shows, was a woman who from a window opposite Mr. Morgan's office observed the financier's movements for days, and from her reports the bomb was timed to explode about the usual time Mr. Morgan came out for luncheon.

Exploded Before Planned

The confession, as described by the American agents, terms the premature explosion " a mechanical mistake," for which the bombmakers are blamed. Lindenfeld estimating that the bomb exploded from ten to fifteen minates before the intended time. The plotters also accuse the driver of the wagon which brought the bomb to Wall street of having erred in not leaving the wagon nearer the Morgan office.

CAPTURE GUN RUNNERS

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Special numbers by D. W. Middlecamp, the High School Boys' Quartette and a chorus of thirty made up of High School and Wood County Normal girls and boys, were very ably given.

The Misses Clara Steinbach, Inez Burmeister, Margaret LaBour, Reba Smart, and Jack Rogers and Robert Searls, children of the Wood County Demonstration school delighted the audience with their songs and recitations.

SEVEN INJURED AS STEAMERS COLLIDE

(By Associated Press)

New York, Dec. 17—Seven seamen who were injured in a collision between the Liner Panama and United States Destroyer Graham off Seagirt last night, arrived in New York today. They were taken to the naval hospital at Brooklyn. Confusion of signals it is said was the cause of the collision. All the injured were from the Graham's crew.

ASK DEBS RELEASE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 16—Victor Berger, Milwaukee Socialist, who was twice refused a seat in the house of representatives, called on President Harding today with an appeal for the release of Eugene Debs.

MERCHANTS NOTICE

The Merchants of Wisconsin Rapids are requested to mail a check for $1.00 to W. F. Gleue, chairman of the committee on organization of the Mercantile Bureau. This money is to be used for the purpose of purchasing candy to be distributed to the children on Tuesday afternoon when they enter the theaters for the free matinee. Your committee decided that it would be a good cause and urges each merchant to send remittance promptly. The candy will be purchased reasonably and any residue left after the purchase of the candy will be kept in the treasury for organization and other legitimate purposes.

By the Committee

MUNICIPALITIES MAY NOW SUPPRESS BOOZE

Madison, Wis., Dec. 17—Municipalities now have the power to suppress entirely the manufacture, sale, transportation or possession of intoxicating liquors for any purpose whatever, W. Stanley Smith, prohibition commissioner, advises district attorneys and peace officers of the state in a letter today.

As a result of the recent opinion of the attorney general, holding that cities could enact local prohibition ordinances, Mr. Smith says that "they have the power to prohibit a physician from writing a prescription for intoxicating liquor, or a druggist from filling such a prescription, to prohibit the sale of patent medicines or extracts containing alcohol, and in general to make their own municipality 'bone dry'."

STATE REVISIONS IN INCOME TAXES

NEW REGULATIONS WILL GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1; RATES FOR 1921 ARE UNCHANGED

Milwaukee — "Enactment of new revenue legislation has brought to the offices of Collectors of Internal Revenue a flood of inquiries regarding various provisions. The Revenue Act of 1921 became effective November 23, 1921, "unless otherwise provided for."

"To avoid error in the preparation of their returns and later difficulties with the Bureau of Internal Revenue taxpayers are advised to carefully note the changes and when they become effective.

"The excess profits tax is repealed as of January 1, 1922. The rates for 1921 are unchanged.

The surtax rates for the calendar year 1921 are unchanged ,and range from 1 per cent on the amount of net income between $5,000 and $6,000 to 65 per cent on the amount of net income in excess of $1,000,000. For the calendar year 1922 the surtax rates range from 1 per cent on the amount of net income between $6,000 and $10,000 to 50 per cent on the amount by which the net income exceeds $200,000.

"The exemption allowed for a dependent is increased from $200 to $400. Married persons living with husband or wife and heads of families are allowed a personal exemption of $2,500 (instead of $2,000) unless the net income is in excess of $5,000 in which case the personal exemption is only $2,000. The act provides that in no case shall the reduction of the personal exemption from $2,500 to $2,000 operate to increase the tax which would be payable if the exemption were $2,500 by more than the amount of net income in excess of $5,000. This is to overcome the disparity in the case of two taxpayers, one of whom is just within the lower $2,000 exemption and the other just within the higher $2,500 exemption.

"Single persons, and married persons not living with husband or wife are allowed an exemption of $1,000. Non-resident aliens are allowed a single personal exemption of $1,000. Persons having gross incomes for 1921 of $5,000 or over are required to make a return, regardless of the amount of net income.

WEATHER TO CONTINUE COLD FOR FEW DAYS

Geo. T. Nixon stated this morning that the prediction for this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow morning are unsettled and mostly cold weather followed by generally fair and then slowly rising temperature. He state that the temperatures may not rise until Sunday afternoon or probably Monday.

The extreme temperatures today are 32 and 18 degrees. Last year they were 42 and 17 degrees. The coldest was 19 below zero in 1903. The sun rose this morning at 7:22 a. m. and set this evening at 4:20 p. m. The total melted snow during the past three days measures 1.55 inches. This is slightly over a half inch of melted snow in a day.

RETURNS FROM SAFETY FIRST MEETING

P. H. Rosebush returned Thursday morning from Milwaukee where he attended a large Safety First meeting. About fifteen hundred delegates were present and a very enthusiastic meeting was held.

MAN IMPLICATED IS ARRESTED BY WARSAW POLICE

CONFESSION GIVES NAMES OF ACTUAL BOMBERS AND ARRESTS WILL FOLLOW, IS BELIEF.

By Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 17—The arrest in Warsaw of Wolfe Lindenfeld will clear up the entire mystery of the Wall Street bomb explosion of September 16, 1920, William Burns, head of the department of justice bureau of investigation, stated today.

Lindenfeld, whose arrest was reported to the department of justice by the Associated Press, was described by Burns as the key to the solution of the mystery and "the only man we know in the world that knows all about it."

Intimate With Reds

Lindenfeld himself was not implicated in the explosion, Burns declared, but was so close to the radical elements who perpetrated it that he knew all about it. The Third International is said to have been the moving spirit behind the plot, and Burns asserts that if the information obtainable from Lindenfeld proves as expected, arrests of the leaders in the plot will be immediate.

Polish Police Arrest

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Lindenfeld is described as a cousin of Rosa Luxemburg, the German radical Socialist leader who was shot to death in Berlin early in 1919, after having been beaten by a mob.

Timed To Get Morgan

His confession, the police state, gives the names of the ringleaders and the New York City address where the bomb was manufactured and says also that the bomb was intended for J. P. Morgan, but exploded prematurely.

According to Cosgrove and Paul Altendorf, who trailed Lindenfeld, the suspect in his confession names five principals now in Europe, who shared the money for the job. One of the principals, the confession shows, was a woman who from a window opposite Mr. Morgan's office observed the financier's movements for days, and from her reports the bomb was timed to explode about the usual time Mr. Morgan came out for luncheon.

Exploded Before Planned

The confession, as described by the American agents, terms the premature explosion " a mechanical mistake," for which the bombmakers are blamed. Lindenfeld estimating that the bomb exploded from ten to fifteen minutes before the intended time. The plotters also accuse the driver of the wagon which brought the bomb to Wall street of having erred in not leaving the wagon nearer the Morgan office.

CAPTURE GUN RUNNERS

(By Associated Press)

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ADJOURN BOARD CASE

The case of Frank Wargowsky, charged with beating a board bill said to be due to Frances Smith of Nekoosa, was adjourned for one week in Judge Getts' court this morning.

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U. S. Department of Agriculture weather Bureau forecast for December 17, 1921:

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9:30 a. m. Sunday School; 10:30 a. m. Services and Reception of members. 2:30 p. m. preaching at Saratoga. 6:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

St. John's Evangelical
Rev. G. E. Pauloweit, Pastor

9:00 a. m. Sunday School. 10:30 a. m. German services. Wednesday evening 7:30 p. m. English advent services. Christmas program Saturday evening at 7:30.

West Side St. Paul Lutheran Church
Rev. G. M. Thurow, Pastor

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The First Baptist Church
Rev. John De Vries, Pastor

9:15 a. m. Sunday School; 11:00 a. m. Sermon. 6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7:30 p. m. Sermon Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. at Roland Mulhee home.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. A. A. Bennett, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 a. m. Public worship. Anthem by choir, "The Lord is in His Holy Temple." Sermon by Rev. J. H. Tippett, D. D. of Appleton. 6:30 p. m. Epworth League. 7:30 p. m. evening worship, sermon by the pastor.

Week Day Activities

Tonight 7:30 p. m. Quarterly conference will meet for the fi[illegible] of the new church.

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Wednesday, West Side aid meets with Mrs. Kenyon. East Side Aid and Lincoln Circle will not meet until after the holidays.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday, mid-week services. 8:30 p. m. choir rehearsal.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Christmas program. "Around the Manger." by Sunday School. Everyone invited.

Friday, 7:30 p. m. John Wesley Club meets with Miss Mary Wagner at 213 Third St. N.

Sion Lutheran Church
Rev. Fred Olsen, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School. 10:45 a. m. English services. 7:45 p. m. Scandinavian services.

Port Edwards M. E. Chapel
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9:45 a. m. Sunday School; 11:00 a. m. Morning worship. 7:30 p. m. Evening worship.

AFTER CENTURIES OF CONFLICT

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

Dear Santa Clais
I an a little girl eight years old and I want a doll buggy and some paints. My little sister Marjorie wants a dolly a little iruning boord and iron. We both want candy and nuts.
No. 369. Evelyn Dittus.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a doll buggy some hair ribbons and a few handkerchiefs, some candy and nuts. My baby brother is pretty small but you can bring him a rattle.
Your little friends
No. 370. Florence and Louis Mackaben.

Dear aSnta Clause
I hope you are ready to start to all the little children will you try and make all the children happy on Christma seve will you. Now I am going to tell you what I would like to have you bring me. I would like to have a doll, these games would be nice Pit, Rock, and Flinch.
Good bye
No. 371. Peggy Delan.

Dear Santa Claus:-
Please bring me a pencil box, a pencil, a tablet a box of candy, and some nuts and some mittens. My little brother Robie would like a spade and hoe, a tie and handkerchiefs. I am in the first grade, and have to walk two miles to school every day. I will be 6 years old Christmas.
Your little Friend
Herbert Goecks.
No. 372. R. R. 4 Box 11.

Dear Santa Claus:-
I seen so many letters written to you so I'll write too so you will know what I would like.
I would like a box of tinkertoys a tie, a tablet, and pencil. I am seven years old and like to go to school. My brother George, he is 8 years old, would like a school bag, a ruler, a tablet, and a box of tinkertoys. Our little sister, Dorothy, a doll a rubber ball, a telephone.
Please also bring us some candy, nuts and a Xmas tree. I live in a red brick house.
Your little friend
Hans Goecks.
No. 373. R. R. 4 Box 11.

Dear Santa Claus.
I am a little only 4 years old. Please bring me a wash set. some candy nuts & some animal cookies. A doll head & sweater.
Thank you very mucy
Your Friend
Dorothy Mackaben.
No. 374. R. 4 Box 9.

Dear Santa Claus.
I am a little girl and I am ten years old. I live two miles north of Arpin. You cannot help but find the place. Its on the new cement road. We have a big barn which is painted grey. And a large house which is blue trimmed with white. The North Arpin Stock Farm.
I have four sisters and two brothers. I go to school and am in the fifth grade. My sister is in the fifth

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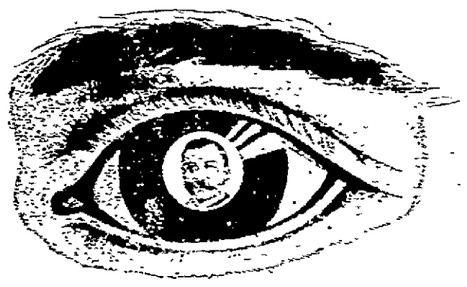

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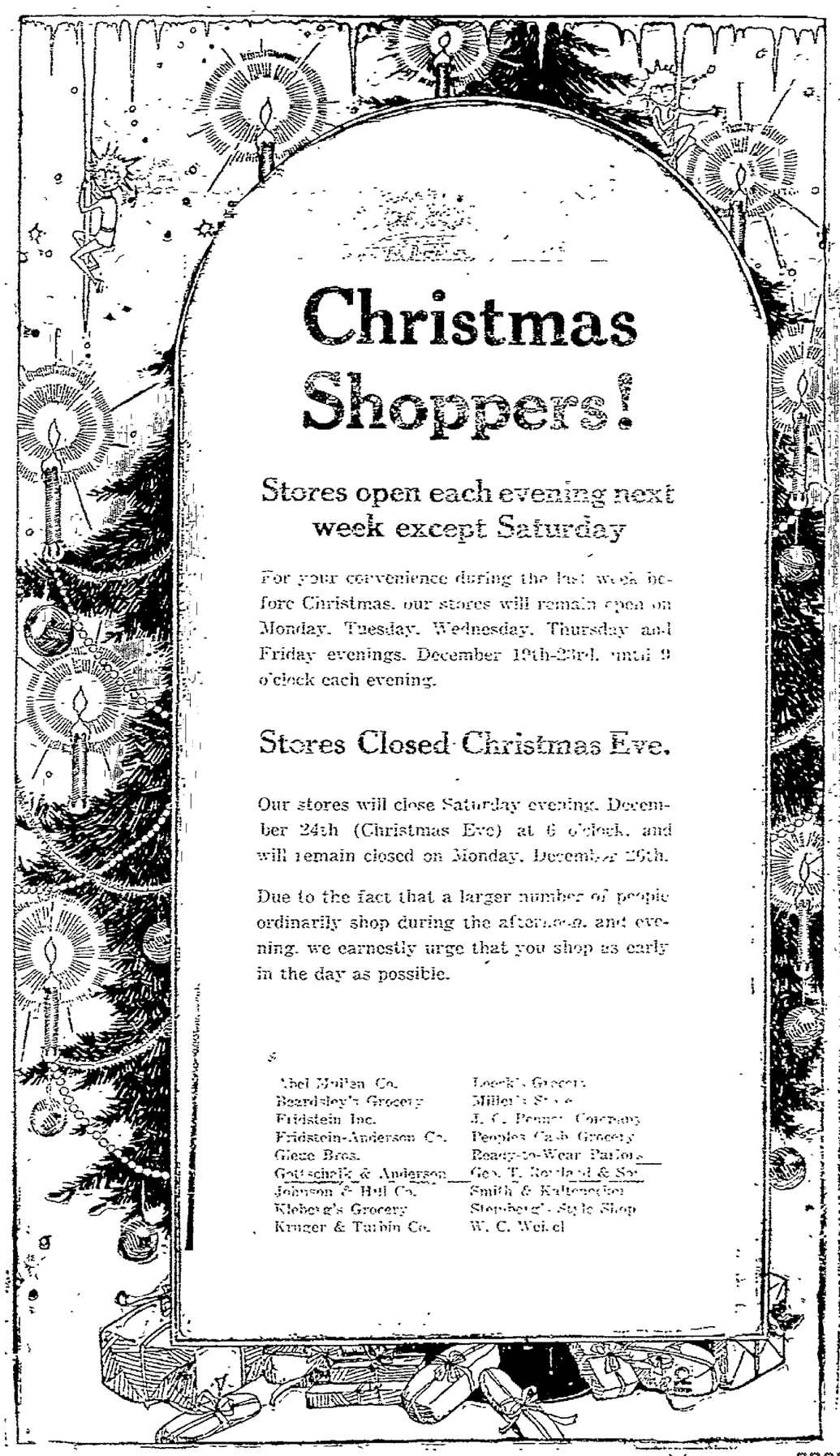

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Stores open each evening next week except Saturday

For your convenience during the last week before Christmas, our stores will remain open on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, December 19th-23rd, until 9 o'clock each evening.

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Due to the fact that a larger number of people ordinarily shop during the afternoon and evening, we earnestly urge that you shop as early in the day as possible.

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Trinity Moravian Church
Rev. J. H. Schoechert, Pastor

9:30 a. m. Sunday School; 10:30 a. m. Services and Reception of members, 2:30 p. m. preaching at Saratoga. 6:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

St. John's Evangelical
Rev. G. E. Pauloweit, Pastor

9:00 a. m. Sunday School. 10:30 a. m. German services. Wednesday evening 7:30 p. m. English advent services. Christmas program Saturday evening at 7:30.

West Side St. Paul Lutheran Church
Rev. G. M. Thurow, Pastor

9:45 a. m. German services. 11:00 a. m. Sunday School. 7:30 p. m. English Advent services.

The First Baptist Church
Rev. John De Vries, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School; 11:00 a. m. Sermon. 6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7:30 p. m. Sermon. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. at Roland Mullinex home.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. A. A. Bennett, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 a. m. Public worship. Anthem by choir, "The Lord is In His Holy Temple." Sermon by Rev. J. H. Tippet, D. D. of Appleton. 6:30 p. m. Epworth League. 7:30 p. m. evening worship, sermon by the pastor.

Week Day Activities

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Sion Lutheran Church
Rev. Fred Olson, Pastor

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Port Edwards M. E. Chapel
Rev. J. B. Rutter, Pastor

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AFTER CENTURIES OF CONFLICT

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No. 369. Evelyn Dittus.

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a doll buggy some hair ribbons and a few handkerchiefs, some candy and nuts. My baby brother is pretty small but you can bring him a rattle.

Your little friends

No. 370. Florence and Louis Mackaben.

Dear aSnta Clause

I hope you are ready to start to all the little children will you try and make all the children happy on Christma seve will you. Now I am going to tell you what I would like to have you bring me. I would like to have a doll, these games would be nice Pit, Rook, and Flinch.

Good bye

No. 371. Peggy Delan.

Dear Santa Claus:-

Please bring me a pencil box, a pencil, a tablet a box of candy, and some nuts ,and some mittens. My little brother Robie would like a spade and hoe, a tie and handkerchiefs. I a min the first grade, and have to walk two miles to school every day. I will be 6 years old Christmas.

Your little Friend
Herbert Goecks.

No. 372. R. R. 4 Box 11.

Dear Santa Claus:-

I seen so many letters written to you so Ill write too so you will know what I would like.

I would like a box of linkertoys a tie, a tablet, and pencil. I am seven years old and like to go to school. My brother George, he is 8 years old, would like a school bag, a ruler, a tablet, and a box of linkertoys. Our little sister, Dorothy, a doll a rubber ball, a telephone.

Please also bring us some candy, nuts and a Xmas tree. I live in a red brick house.

Your little friend
Hans Goecks.

No. 373. R. R. 4 Box 11.

Dear Santa Claus.

I am a little only 4 years old. Please bring me a wash set. some candy nuts & some animal cookies. A doll head & sweater.

Thank you very mucy
Your Friend
Dorothy Mackaben.

No. 374. R. 4 Box 9.

Dear Santa Claus.

I am a little girl and I am ten years old. I live two miles north of Arpin. You cannot help but find the place. Its on the new cement road. We have a big barn which is painted gray. And a large house which is blue trimmed with white. The North Arpin Stock Farm.

I have four sisters and two brothers. I go to school and am in the fifth grade. My sister is in the fifth

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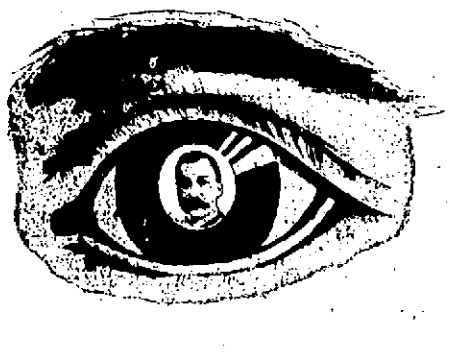

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Due to the fact that a larger number of people ordinarily shop during the afternoon, and evening, we earnestly urge that you shop as early in the day as possible.

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Beardsley's Grocery	Miller's Store
Fridstein Inc.	J. C. Penney Company
Fridstein-Anderson Co.	Peoples Cash Grocery
Gleue Bros.	Ready-to-Wear Parlors
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Dear Santa

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Your Friend

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Good Bye Dear Santa Claus.

P. S. As I live so far from your office I could not call fit it So please send it to Dexterville. Box 55.

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No. 387. 650 9 St.

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Will you please send a doll that goes to sleep with long hair a bed for her a checker board and ironing board soap, wringer a kitchen cabinet a piano a little victrola and a sack candy nuts popcorn and ribbon and thats all. and ring and bracelet. I want to divide it with the Brunner twins Mary and Helen.

Good Bye Santa

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Love to you

Romaine Hill

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With love

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Now don't forget me Santa.

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Mutton, dressed	8c
Calves, dressed	8c
Hens and springers, live	15c

Retail Prices

Victoria Flour, 49 lbs.	$2.12
Rye flour, 49 lbs.	$1.59
J. C., 49 lbs.	$1.58
Graham, 10 lbs.	38c
Corn and Oats feed, cwt.	$1.48
Corn, cwt.	$1.25
Cracked Corn, cwt.	$1.30
Big Egg Henfeed	$1.75
Wheat Middlings	$1.30
Bran	$1.30

Plymouth Cheese Market

Daisies	17½c
Twins	17½c

Chicago Butter Market

Extras	42½c
Firsts	34-41c
Seconds	32-33c
Standards	37c
Packing Stock	25c

RUDOLPH NEWS ITEMS

The Christmas program which the graded school was practising on has been given up on account of the burning of Haumschild's hall.

Fred Piltz has fitted up his old blacksmith shop and will open up the store with the hardware which was saved when his store burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott were shopping in Stevens Point Saturday.

Percy Millenbah attended a meeting of the railroad employes at Nekoosa on Sunday.

A large number of persons from surrounding towns and cities viewed the remains of the big fire the past few days.

Kenneth Ratelle and Walter Panzer left Wednesday noon for Chicago, where they will enter the Rahe Auto Tractor school for eight weeks.

Albert Haumschild is spending several days with his family in Pittsville.

A. L. Grignon of Superior was in Rudolph last Saturday taking orders for men's suits and overcoats.

GUARD AGAINST STRIKE

Pittsburgh, Kan., Dec. 15— Col. Rowen of the Kansas National Guard arrived here today and went into conference with the National Guard officers of the Calvary troops to be detrained here for immediate action to prevent violence in the Kansas coal mine troubles.

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Market Prices

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Buckwheat, cwt.	$1.00
Beef, dressed	7-8c
Hogs, dressed	8-9c
Lamb, dressed	10c
Mutton, dressed	8c
Calves, dressed	8c
Hens and springers, live	15c

Retail Prices

Victoria Flour, 49 lbs.	$2.12
Rye flour, 49 lbs.	$1.59
J. C., 49 lbs.	$1.88
Graham, 10 lbs.	38c
Corn and Oats feed, cwt.	$1.43
Corn, cwt.	$1.25
Cracked Corn, cwt.	$1.30
Big Egg Henfeed	$1.75
Wheat Middlings	$1.30
Bran	$1.30

Plymouth Cheese Market

Daisies	17½c
Twins	17½c

Chicago Butter Market

Extras	42½c
Firsts	34-41c
Seconds	32-33c
Standards	37c
Packing Stock	25c

RUDOLPH NEWS ITEMS

The Christmas program which the graded school was practising on has been given up on account of the burning of Haumschild's hall.

Fred Piltz has fitted up his old blacksmith shop and will open up the store with the hardware which was saved when his store burned.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott were shopping in Stevens Point Saturday.

Percy Millenbah attended a meeting of the railroad employes at Nekoosa on Sunday.

A large number of persons from surrounding towns and cities viewed the remains of the big fire the past few days.

Kenneth Batelle and Walter Panzer left Wednesday noon for Chicago, where they will enter the Rahe Auto Tractor school for eight weeks.

Albert Haumschild is spending several days with his family in Pittsville.

A. D. Grignon of Superior was in Rudolph last Saturday taking orders for men's suits and overcoats.

GUARD AGAINST STRIKE

Pittsburgh, Kas., Dec. 15.— Col. Rowen of the Kansas National Guard arrived here today and went into conference with the National Guard officers of the Calvary troops to be detrained here for immediate action to prevent violence in the Kansas coal mine troubles.

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Wisconsin Rapids East Side

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

2 Preliminary Games, First One Starting at 7:45 p. m.

BATTERY "E" ARMORY 9:15 P. M.

Coming - Dec. 21 - U. S. Tractors of Menasha

TRI-CITIES VS Oshkosh B'Gosh Overalls

Admission 50c—Children 25c

Who's Who In Wisconsin Rapids

The Who's Who column will be run each Saturday in the Wisconsin Rapids Daily Tribune. It will include a brief sketch of the life of citizens who have helped make history for Wisconsin Rapids.

Guy O. Babcock

GUY O. BABCOCK

The subject of today's sketch is Guy O. Babcock, cashier of the Wood County National Bank and one of central Wisconsin's prominent bankers. It is the story of the accomplishment of a man who came to Wisconsin Rapids to build his future and is filled with success of his work and his efforts.

Born in Appleton

Turning back the pages of time a few years, we learn that Guy O. Babcock is a native of the Badger state, being born in Appleton on January 22, 1871, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean C. Babcock. The family resided in Appleton for many years where Mr. Babcock received his early education. The father Dean C. Babcock, was a prominent attorney, practicing his profession in that city.

First Business Venture

Guy O. Babcock's first business venture was in North Dakota in the early days of settlement of the prairie state. In company with his brother, C. A. Babcock, now a prominent paper mill owner, and an aunt they went into the railroad restaurant business, operating in a small town. They soon found that business far from their liking and inclinations and sold out. After disposing of the business they returned to Appleton, where Mr. Babcock reentered the high school for a two year's course. Upon finishing his schooling, he went to Kaukauna to take up work in a mercantile establishment as clerk. Not finding that as a suitable profession he applied for a position in the First National Bank of Kaukauna and was accepted, becoming bookkeeper and collector. This was his first entree to a career which led him to his present position in the financial realm of this district. Two years of hard and tedious work in the ranks of the bank brought him the reward of a position of assistant cashier, this at the remarkably young age of nineteen years. He continued to serve in that capacity until 1900, when he moved with his family to the west, taking up residence in Colorado Springs. He soon found an opening in the First National Bank of Colorado Springs, remaining with that institution for six years.

In August 1906, Mr. Babcock heeded the call to return to his native state coming to Wisconsin Rapids with his family to become the cashier of the Wood County National Bank. Mr. Babcock was soon recognized for his ability as an executive, demonstrating his capacity in his official position as well as in positions of public trust. His services have been much in demand here and he has given himself unselfishly to serve in many lines of community activity.

Organized Banks

He was quick to sense the possibilities of this region and proven his faith in the progress of this state by developing a number of the smaller banking institutions in this community. He was one of the organizers of the Dairyman's State Bank of Arpin and the Farmer's State Bank of Rudolph, serving as officer and director in both of these institutions. Mr. Babcock and his associates purchased the controlling interest in Vesper State Bank and under their guidance this institution as well as the others have continued to grow and prosper. The Nekoosa State Bank was organized by Mr. Babcock and associates and he was the choice for president holding that position since the organization. Even though he is being continually called upon for matters of a public nature and as well as being engrossed with the affairs of the Wood County National Bank, Mr. Babcock has found time to devote to aid and direct the policies and business of these outlying financial institutions, which owe much of their progress to his excellent counsel. Besides his banking connections, Mr. Babcock is interested in several other business institutions serving as director and officer.

In Public Work

During the war, Mr. Babcock was prominent in various campaigns and drives, taking an active part in the war campaigns, in the Red Cross, Salvation Army, Y. M. C. A. and other organizations. He was one of the members of the executive committee of the drive for the Riverview Hospital when $20,000 was raised for the benefit of that worthy institution.

He served for several years as a director of the Chamber of Commerce and always takes an active interest in the affairs of commercial development in this city. He has served for several years as a member of the Board of Education and has held the presidency of that body for four terms. He has shown himself a staunch citizen in working for the interest of better schools and a high grade of education for Wisconsin Rapids.

Prominent In Lodges

Besides his many business affiliations, Mr. Babcock is prominent in the lodge affairs of this city. He is a member of the Masonic order serving once as Worshipful Master of the lodge, and is a member of the Chapter and Commandry of the order. He is also an Elk and was one of the charter members of the Rotary Club of Wisconsin Rapids, serving as the second president of the club. It was during his administration that the club was expanded and developed into a strong association.

Married in 1894

On October 9, 1894, Mr. Babcock was united in marriage to Winifred Chamberlain of Kaukauna at that city. They have two sons, Charles Harold Babcock of the town of Hiles and Dean C. Babcock of Clintonville, both of whom are now married and established in their own homes, where they are successfully engaged in business. Mr. and Mrs. Babcock are prominent members of the social circles of the city and are counted as among the most popular citizens of Wisconsin Rapids, Mrs. Babcock being prominent in social and club work here.

Splendid Type of Citizen

Mr. Babcock is a member of the Congregational church of this city and one of its most loyal and devout members. He has taken an active part in the affairs of the church and in the work. Mr. Babcock represents the type of red blooded, loyal citizens, whose principles are of the highest and whose personality is of the most pleasing and attractive.

EXPRESS COMPANY REQUESTS EARLY XMAS SHIPMENTS

EARLY SHIPPING AND PROPER PACKING WILL INSURE PROMPT DELIVERY, LOCAL AGENT STATES

Local express forces are making special preparations for the handling of the Christmas traffic, according to a statement made today by W. S. Fishback, Agent in charge of the city express office.

"We wish to emphasize the importance of shipping holiday gift packages early," said Mr. Fishback today. "This will avoid congestion with the regular traffic, and insure their arrival on time. Our most important task in handling holiday shipments is to deliver them before Christmas Day."

The express agent declared that the carriers ask the public to ship their Christmas gifts in "perfect packages," so that the shipments may be safely and quickly delivered.

Ask Special Care

He points out that it is advisable for holiday shippers to take special care in the packing and marking of their gift shipments. He urges plain, legible addresses directly on shipments, if possible, and with "all old marks erased."

Christmas gifts in boxes or cartoons should be so re-inforced with packing material as to avoid shifting of contents in transit. It is advisable to place the name and address of the shipper inside of the package.

This "inside information" often leads to the recovery of a misdirected or miscarried shipment, or one from which the address has been lost in transit.

The express company is distributing Christmas labels for gift shipments, carrying the words "Not to be Opened until Christmas," which can be obtained at local express offices.

Market News

Potatoes

Carlot shipments for the U. S. past 24 hours, Northern California 20, Colorado 41, Idaho 43, Maine 146, Mass. 6, Michigan 18, Minnesota 34, Montana 1, Nebraska 13, Nevada 1, New Hampshire 2, New Jersey 2, New York 1, Long Island 5, other New York 9, North Dakota 4, Oregon 6, Pennsylvania 9, South Dakota 1, Utah 1, East Shore Virginia 1, Washington 22, Wisconsin 26, Wyoming 2, total all states 441 cars; Canada 4 cars imported.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Waupaca and northern Wisconsin points: Carlots f. o. b. usual terms, light wire inquiry. Practically no demand or movement, market dull little change in prices, Sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.50.

Warehouse cash to growers basis: Demand and movement very slow market dull little change in prices. Bulk Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 at Waupaca mostly $1.00 at other Wisconsin warehouse points price ranged from $1.00 to $1.10: Most sales at $1.00.

Comment: No changes of importance were registered in f. o. b. Section of Wisconsin. Market maintaining its dull even tone. Larger markets report very slow demand for stock. Markets remain in unchanged position.

Leading Markets This Morning

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market dull and steady. Jobbing sales. U. S. Grade No. 1 Round Whites sacked mostly $1.90. Unclassified Round Whites, sacked and bulk mostly $1.60. Rurals in ½ bbl. crates U. S. Grade No. 1 mostly $2.00 per crate.

Chicago: 12 carlot arrivals: 93 cars on track. Demand slow, movement limited, market steady. Carlots outweight: Wisconsin sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.65-1.80; Minnesota sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.75, sacked Red River Ohio's U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.70. Idaho sacked Rurals U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.85-1.95.

Cabbage

Carlots: Wisconsin 15, total all states 84 cars.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Somers: Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Prices to growers f. o. b. Somers, U. S. Grade No. 1 mostly $40, Danish Type bulk per ton.

Appleton: Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Prices to growers f. o. b. Appleton, U. S. Grade No. 1 Danish Type bulk per ton mostly $40.

Leading Markets This Morning

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Jobbing sales Holland Type bushel baskets mostly $1.35, barrels mostly $8.75.

Chicago: Carlot arrivals, California 1, Wisconsin 8, New York 2, total 11 cars, 41 cars on track. Demand and movement slow, market weak. Jobbing sales Wisconsin & New York Danish Type sacked per ton delivered $45-50.

Chicago Sheep Market

Fat lambs steady to 25c lower than Thursday low. Sheep and feeders steady to weak. Fat lambs to packers early $10-10.25. Some held higher. Good light yearlings $8.50. Good 150 lb. ewes $3.00-3.25, choice lights $5.00. Talking weak on feeders. Lambs 84 lbs. down medium, good, choice and prime $9.25-10.50. Lambs, culls and common $7.25-9.00. Feeding lambs $8.75-10.00. Yearling wethers $7-9; Wethers $4.50-6.25; Ewes $3.00-5.25, Ewes culls common $1.50-2.75.

Cheese Markets

Wisconsin primary point markets: (Wholesale prices.)

Domestic Cheese: Flats, majority sales 22½c per lb.; Twins, majority sales 20c per lb.; Single Daises majority sales 20c per lb.; Young Americas majority sales 21¼c per lb.; Longhorns majority sales 21¼c per lb.; Square Prints majority sales 22c per lb.

Foreign Cheese: Chicago (Wholesale prices) Swiss Fancy [illegible] per lb.; Swiss No. 1 36c per lb.; Swiss No. 2 22c per lb.; Limburger fancy 1 pounders 24-25c per lb.; Limburger No. 1 1 pounders 21c per lb.; Limburger No. 1 2 pounders 20c per lb.; Limburger fancy 2 pounders 23-25c per lb.; Brick fancy, 18½-19c per lb.

Butter & Egg Markets

Important Notice: All sales of butter on jobbing "tub lot" basis, price per pound given. All sales of eggs on jobbing "case lot" basis, price per dozen given. All sales of the following markets are the early morning "flashes."

Chicago Markets: Butter market weaker, lower on extras at 43½c; Standards unchanged at 37. Firsts 34½-41c; Seconds 32-33½c; One sale extra at 44c; One sale extra at 43½c; 2 sales at extra 43c; Offerings 91 score 41-42 bid 40c; Firsts 34-39c bid 31c; Seconds 33-34c bid 31. Car 89 score storage 34½c no bid. Receipts 5473.

Egg Market: Weak 2 cents lower on fresh gathered firsts 45-46c; One to two cents lower on refrigerator firsts 35c.

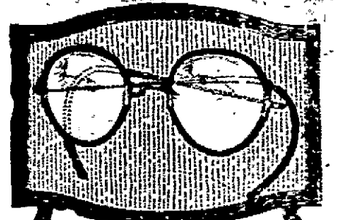
New York Markets: Butter Market—Steady likely unchanged. Two sales extras 44½c; 93 score offered 46½c bid 45c; extras 45-45½c bid 44c; 90 score offered 43c no bids; 87 score offered 36½c bid 33c; 93 score Danish offered 44½c bid 43c; 92 score Danish offered 44c bid 40½c; held extras 41c bid 39c; Receipts 6595.

Egg market: Steady likely unchanged two sales northern Iowa firsts 54c; One sale Indiana firsts 55c; extra firsts 58-60c bid 56-57c; Fresh gathered firsts 52-57c bid 50-51c; Calif. White extras 74-75c no bids Refrigerator firsts 39-37½c; Refrigerator seconds 35½-38 bid 32½-33; Receipts 7786.

Live Stock Markets

Chicago Hog Market: Butchers 15 to 20c lower, others 10-15c lower than Thursday average. Packing sows steady. Big packers doing very little. Pigs 10-15c lower, bulk desirable pigs $7.25-7.35; Average cost Thursday $6.95 weight 223½, heavies $6.75-6.80, mediums $6.75-6.90, lights $6.85-7.20, light lights $7.10-7.30, packing sows smooth $5.50-6.50, rough $5.25-5.75. Bulk of sales today hogs $6.65-7.00, pigs $7.30.

Chicago Cattle Market: Dull, beef steers and fat she stock weak to 25c lower, quality plain. Canners, cutter and veal calves weak. Bulls steady, stockers, feeders steady. Beef steers 1,000 lbs. up, choice and prime $8.60-11.00, good $7.75-9.50 medium $6.50-8.15, common $5.50-6.50; Beef steers: 750-1,000 lbs. choice and prime $9.50-11.50, good $8.15-9.60, common $5.35-6.25; Butcher cattle, heifers $3.50-8.50, cows $3.25-6.40, bulls $3.60-6.15; Canners & Cutters, cows, heifers, $1.75-3.25, canner steers $2.75-3.75; Veal calves, light weights $6.75-10.00, heavy weights $3.00-8.25. Feeder cattle 1,000 lbs. up $5.25-7.00; 750-1,000 lbs. $5.00-7.00; Stockers $3.60-6.00.



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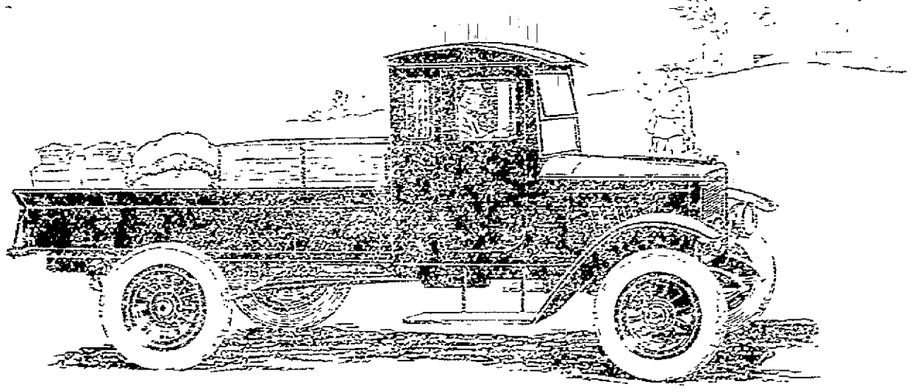

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

City Hall, Council Chambers, December 6th, 1921.

Council met in regular session. Mayor Chas. E. Briere, Presiding. Aldermen present: John Bamberg, John Ernser, Ferd Link, Jake Huber, Lacy Horton, O. R. Roenius, W. W. Rickman, James Lynch, P. Tomsyck, Otto Marx, M. C. Whitrock, F. H. Jackson, W. H. Gardner and J. Ostrowski. Aldermen Absent: John Roberts and Benj. Hansen.

Reading of the minutes of the previous session dispensed with upon motion duly made and seconded.

Street Comimttee brought in a report on Eleventh Avenue North, with reference to opening up the Street and recommended that the City Engineer survey the same to ascertain the lines. Motion carried.

Petirion for the opening of Ninth Street South signed by the free holders of the Fourth Ward of said City, praying that said Ninth Street be extended South across the Corcoran Lot, having been signed by approximate thirty-five free holders, it was on motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried that said Petition be referred to the Board of Public Works for action pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided. Motion unanimously adopted.

It was on motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried that the following resolution be adopted, to-wit: "Be It Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids that E. E. Camp and his associates and assigns be and they hereby are authorized to erect and maintain poles and wires for the purpose of conducting electric current from the end of the present City electric line on the westerly side of the southerly extension of Third Street to the City limits of the City of Wisconsin Rapids and further on the lands owned by the City of Wisconsin Rapids along the westerly side of said highway extended to the point where said highway turns South in the Town of Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin."

Petition of E. F. Gilmaster for rebate of $50.00 license money for the year 1920 received and on motion duly made same was referred to the City Attorney for a report.

It was thereupon duly moved, seconded and unanimously carried that th etime for payment of taxes for 1921 be extended until and including the last day of February 1922 without penalty. Motion unanimously adopted.

Ordinance No. 235, being an ordinance granting permission and authority to the Standard Oil Company to erect and maintain a service station, was thereupon presented and read to the Council and it was thereupon moved that Ordinance No. 235 be adopted. Motion duly seconded and unanimously carried. Said Ordinance being as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 235

The Common council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That permission and authority is hereby given and granted to the Standard Oil Company, a corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the State of Indiana, to construct and maintain for a term of fifty (50) years, on the following described property, to-wit:

Lot Eight (8) of Block Fourteen (14) of Neeves First and Second Addition to the City of Wisconsin Rapids, formerly Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, being the Southwest corner of Oak and Third Streets South.

a service station and small private garage, also under ground storage tanks suitable for its business to store petroleum products.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect on and after its passage and acceptance in writing by the said Standard Oil Company.

Dated December 6th, A. D. 1921.

Approved
Charles E. Briere
Mayor
F. G. Gilkey
City Clerk.

It having been brought to the attention of the Council that Charles Kluge is erecting a building contrary to the Fire Ordinance of this city, it was moved, seconded and unanimously carried that if said structure be not removed by August 1st, 1922, that steps be taken to cause the same to be removed pursuant to the Ordinances

It was thereupon duly moved, seconded and unanimously carried that the City Engineer be instructed to strictly enforce the sidewalk cleaning ordinance and if the property owners do not shovel the sidewalks that the City do so, pursuant to said ordinance and charge the same against the property.

A petition having been presented by all of the property owners, excepting one, of all the lands on Vine Street, lying between Second and Third Streets, asking that said part of Vine Street be paved. Petition received and referred to the Street Committee for action.

The City Clerk having presented due proof that the Resolution of the Common Council referring to the proposed $36,000.00 Water Works Bonds issue of the proposed bond issue having been duly published pursuant to the Resolution of the Common Council as adopted November 1, 1921 in the Daily Tribune, the official newspaper of said City and after due proof of such publication having been filed it was on motion of Alderman John Bamberg and seconded by Alderman O. R. Roenius, that Ordinance No. 234 being the ordinance providing for the issuing of $36,000.000 Water Works Improvement Bonds be adopted. Said Ordinance being as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 234

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issue of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000) Water Works Improvement Bonds of the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, and providing for the levy of taxes to pay the same.

Whereas, it is deemed necessary for the best interest of the citizens and residents of said city that extensions be made to the City water works plant and system, and that bonds of said city in the amount of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000) be issued and sold to pay the cost of such improvements:

Now, Therefore, the Common Council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That for the purpose of providing funds to improve the city water works plant and system, there be borrowed upon the credit of said city the sum of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000), and that bonds be issued therefor.

Section 2. That said bonds be designated Water Works Improvement Bonds, be dated January 1, 1922, be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each, numbered from one to thirty-six, both included, and mature in numerical order $3,000 on March 1st of each of the years 1925 to 1936, both years included. That said bonds bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of March and of September of each year; that said bonds be signed by the Mayor and sealed with the corporate seal of said city and attested by the City Clerk thereof, and that the interest upon said bonds be evidenced by coupons thereto attached, maturing upon the several days when such interest matures, and that such coupons be signed by the said mayor and city clerk by their respective fac simile signatures, and said officers shall, by the execution of said bonds, adopt as and for their own proper signatures their respective fac simile signatures appearing on said coupons; that said bonds and coupons be payable at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

Section 3. That said bonds and coupons be in substantially the following forms:

(FORM OF BOND)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY OF WOOD
CITY OF WISCONSIN RAPIDS
WATER WORKS IMPROVEMENT BOND

No. ——— $1,000

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the City of Wisconsin Rapids, in the County of Wood, and State of Wisconsin, hereby acknowledges itself to owe, and for value received promises to pay to bearer the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) on the First day of March, 19——, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of March and of September of each year, on presentation and surrender of the interest coupons attached hereto as they severally mature. Both principal hereof and interest hereon are hereby made payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin. For the prompt payment of this bond, with interest thereon as aforesaid, and for the levy of taxes sufficient for that purpose, the full faith, credit and resources of said City are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is one of an issue of $36,000 of like date, tenor and effect, save as to maturity, issued to improve the city water works plant and system, pursuant to and in all respects in compliance with sections 925-132 and other pertinent sections of the Wisconsin Statutes, 1919, and an ordinance duly passed by the Common Council of said City, and approved and published.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, things and acts required by law to exist, to be or to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have been, have existed and have been performed in due form and time; that the indebtedness of said city, including this bond, does not exceed any limitation imposed by law, and that provision has been made for the collection of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay this bond and interest thereon as the same matures.

In Testimony Whereof, the City of Wisconsin Rapids, by its Common Council, has caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and attested by its city clerk and the coupons hereto attached to be signed by said Mayor and City Clerk by their respective fac simile signatures, and said officers, by the execution of this bond, do adopt as and for their respective proper signatures, their respective fac simile signatures appearing on said coupons, as of this first day of January, 1922.

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Mayor.

Attested:

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City Clerk.

(FORM OF COUPON)

No. ——— $ ———

On the first day of ————, 19—, the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, promises to pay to bearer ———— Dollars ($————) at the office of the City Treasurer, in the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, for interest due that day on its Water Works Improvement Bond, dated January 1, 1922, No. ———.

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Mayor.

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City Clerk.

Section 4. That in order to provide for the collection of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due and to pay and discharge the principal thereof at maturity, there be and there is hereby levied upon all the taxable property in said City a direct annual tax in amount sufficient for that purpose, and there be and there is hereby levied upon all the taxable property in said City the following direct annual tax, to-wit:

For the year 1922, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,600 to pay interest maturing September 1, 1922, and March 1 and September 1, 1923;

For the year 1923, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $2,160 for interest;

For the year 1924, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $5,070 for principal and interest;

For the year 1925, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $4,890 for principal and interest;

(Continued on page 6)

ASK FUNDS FOR HELIUM PLANT

ARMY OFFICER SAYS PEACE TIME VALUE OF GAS WARRANTS MAINTENANCE OF PRODUCTION

Fort Worth, Tex.—Hope that congress will see the possibilities of helium-non explosive baloon gas—not as a war time measure, but for purposes of peace, was expressed by Commander Allen G. Olson, in charge of the helium plant operated near Fort Worth by the United States navy. The limitation of armament program should not influence helium production, he said, because of its peace time possibilities.

The plant here, which is one of the two in the United States, was shut down at midnight November 30, pending further appropriation by congress to maintain it. The other plant, located at Petrolia, Texas, has been closed since July 1, 1921, the end of the last fiscal year.

Ask Congress Aid

Repersentatives in congress have been asked to aid in influencing that body to increase the appropriation for maintaining the Fort Worth plant. Comamnder Olson expects the plant to be shut down only for a short time, he said, until congress can make suitable provision after it convenes December 5. Several hundred thousand dollars will be necessary for the operarion of the plant on a full time basis, he said.

Established in 1918, the helium plant here has been engaged chiefly in experimental work while producin gthe gas. While the cost of extracting the helium from the natural gas of the petroleum fields of Texas has been expensive, Commander Olson said, the Fort Worth plant gradually has been lowering the cost of production.

Is Non-Explosive

"Helium is worth any price," said Commander Olson, "if for no other reason than its non-explosive quality, which eliminates the great danger now present in lighter-than-air craft."

The local plant has sufficient funds to maintain it on a "stand-by" basis until July 1, 1922, the beginning of the next fiscal year, the commander said. The working force numbers 130 to 150 men, he said.

The helium is stored in metal cylinders holding 200 cubic feet, after it has been extracted from the natural gas. The storage space is sufficient for about a million cubic feet of the gas, the commander said.

The product of the plant here is about 95 per cent pure, according to Commander Olson. Helium must be 90 per cent pure in order to be entirely non-explosive, chemists say.

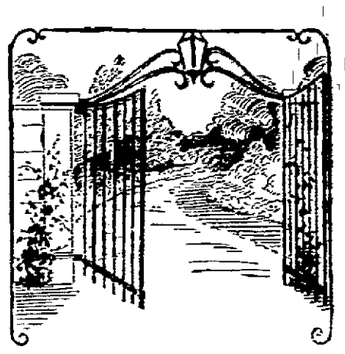
HEALTH TESTS SHOW BIG GAINS IN WEIGHT

Cleveland, O.—A series of tests conducted by the Cuyahoga County Public Health Association, which just ended, resulted in thirteen newsboys gaining a pound a week in weight. Eight-tenths of a pound a month is the normal gain for boys of their age, it was stated.

Of two teams of newsboys, a score in all, which started out on a five weeks test, thirteen finished. During the test the boys abstained from drinking coffee, tea and smoking, and drank a pint of milk a day.

There is a movement on foot to ban the short skirt, but its opponents are not proceeding on the ground that it has been here too long.

The Miracle of Life



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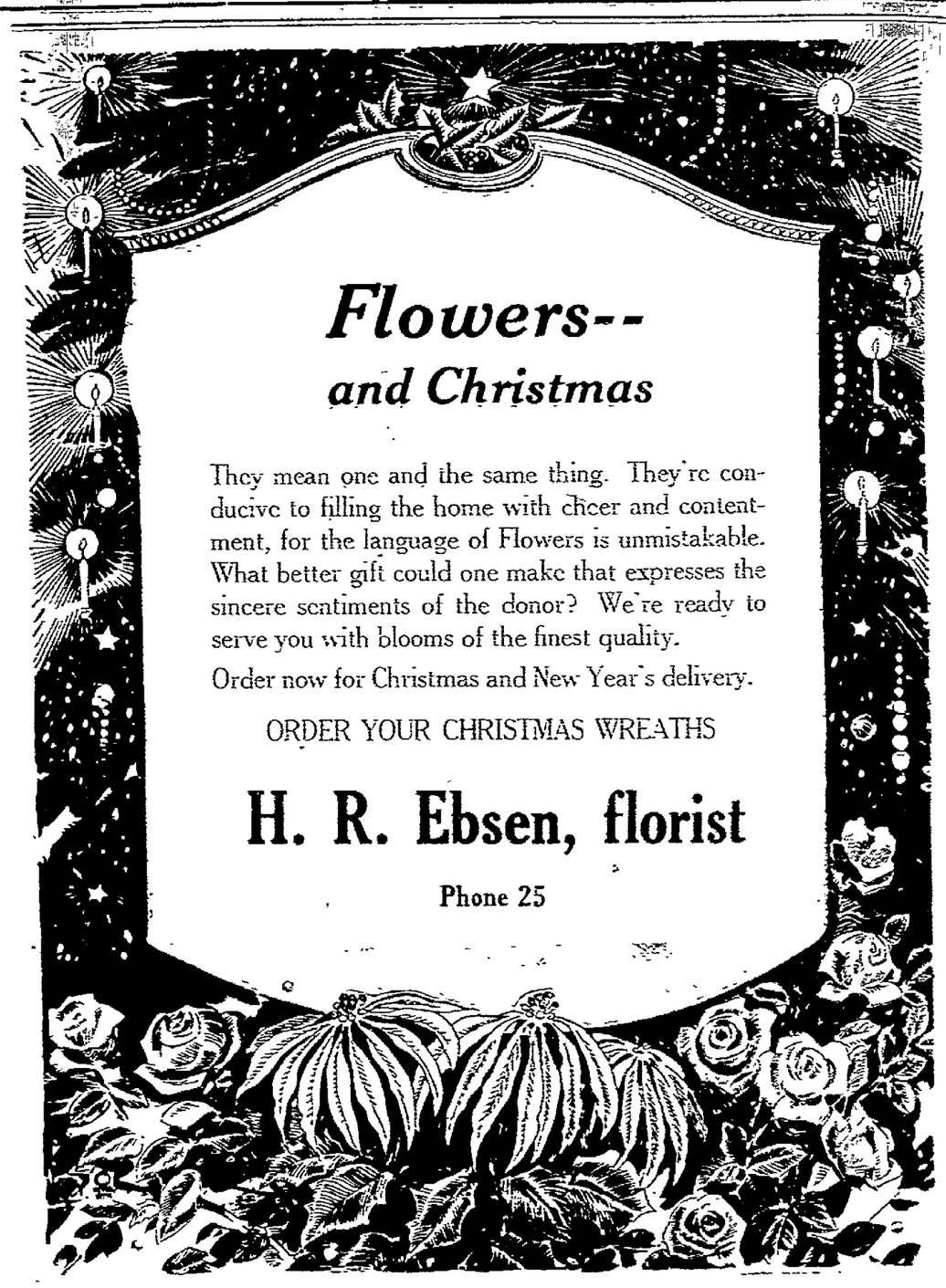

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Who's Who In Wisconsin Rapids

The Who's Who column will be run each Saturday in the Wisconsin Rapids Daily Tribune. It will include a brief sketch of the life of citizens who have helped make history for Wisconsin Rapids.

Guy O. Babcock

GUY O. BABCOCK

The subject of today's sketch is Guy O. Babcock, cashier of the Wood County National Bank and one of central Wisconsin's prominent bankers. It is the story of the accomplishment of a man who came to Wisconsin Rapids to build his future and is filled with success of his work and his efforts.

Born in Appleton

Turning back the pages of time a few years, we learn that Guy O. Babcock is a native of the Badger state, being born in Appleton on January 22, 1871, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean C. Babcock. The family resided in Appleton for many years where Mr. Babcock received his early education. The father Dean C. Babcock; was a prominent attorney, practicing his profession in that city.

First Business Venture

Guy O. Babcock's first business venture was in North Dakota in the early days of settlement of the prairie state. In company with his brother, C. A. Babcock, now a prominent paper mill owner, and an aunt they went into the railroad restaurant business, operating in a small town. They soon found that business far from their liking and inclinations and sold out. After disposing of the business they returned to Appleton, where Mr. Babcock reentered the high school for a two year's course. Upon finishing his schooling, he went to Kaukauna to take up work in a mercantile establishment as clerk. Not finding that as a suitable profession he applied for a position in the First National Bank of Kaukauna and was accepted, becoming bookkeeper and collector. This was his first entree to a career which led him to his present position in the financial realm of this district. Two years of hard and tedious work in the ranks of the bank brought him the reward of a position of assistant cashier, this at the remarkably young age of nineteen years. He continued to serve in that capacity until 1900, when he moved with his family to the west, taking up residence in Colorado Springs. He soon found an opening in the First National Bank of Colorado Springs, remaining with that institution for six years.

In August 1906, Mr. Babcock heeded the call to return to his native state coming to Wisconsin Rapids with his family to become the cashier of the Wood County National Bank. Mr. Babcock was soon recognized for his ability as an executive, demonstrating his capacity in his official position as well as in positions of public trust. His services have been much in demand here and he has given himself unselfishly to serve in many lines of community activity.

Organized Banks

He was quick to sense the possibilities of this region and proved his faith in the progress of this state by developing a number of the smaller banking institutions in this community. He was one of the organizers of the organizers of the Dairyman's State Bank of Arpin and the Farmer's State Bank of Rudolph, serving as officer and director in both of these institutions. Mr. Babcock and his associates purchased the controlling interest in Vesper State Bank and under their guidance this institution as well as the others have continued to grow and prosper. The Nekoosa State Bank was organized by Mr. Babcock and his associates and he was the choice for president holding that position since the organization. Even though he is being continually called upon for matters of a public nature and as well as being engrossed with the affairs of the Wood County National Bank, Mr. Babcock has found time to devote to aid and direct the policies and business of these outlying financial institutions, which owe much of their progress to his excellent counsel. Besides his banking connections, Mr. Babcock is interested in several other business institutions serving as director and officer.

In Public Work

During the war, Mr. Babcock was prominent in various campaigns and drives, taking an active part in the war campaigns, in the Red Cross, Salvation Army, Y. M. C. A. and other organizations. He was one of the members of the executive committee of the drive for the Riverview Hospital when $20,000 was raised for the benefit of that worthy institution.

He served for several years as a director of the Chamber of Commerce and always takes an active interest in the affairs of commercial development in this city. He has served for several years as a member of the Board of Education and has held the presidency of that body for four terms. He has shown himself a staunch citizen in working for the interest of better schools and a high grade of education for Wisconsin Rapids.

Prominent In Lodges

Besides his many business affiliations, Mr. Babcock is prominent in the lodge affairs of this city. He is a member of the Masonic order serving once as Worshipful Master of the lodge, and is a member of the Chapter and Commandry of the order. He is also an Elk and was one of the charter members of the Rotary Club of Wisconsin Rapids, serving as the second president of the club. It was during his administration that the club was expanded and developed into a strong association.

Married in 1891

On October 9, 1894, Mr. Babcock was united in marriage to Winifred Chamberlain of Kaukauna at that city. They have two sons, Charles Harold Babcock of the town of Hiles and Dean C. Babcock of Clintonville, both of whom are now married and established in their own homes, where they are successfully engaged in business. Mr. and Mrs. Babcock are prominent members of the social circles of the city and are counted as among the most popular citizens of Wisconsin Rapids. Mrs. Babcock being prominent in social and club work here.

Splendid Type of Citizen

Mr. Babcock is a member of the Congregational church of this city and one of its most loyal and devout members. He has taken an active part in the affairs of the church and in the work. Mr. Babcock represents the type of red blooded, loyal citizens, whose principles are of the highest and whose personality is of the most pleasing and attractive.

EXPRESS COMPANY REQUESTS EARLY XMAS SHIPMENTS

EARLY SHIPPING AND PROPER PACKING WILL INSURE PROMPT DELIVERY, LOCAL AGENT STATES

Local express forces are making special preparations for the handling of the Christmas traffic, according to a statement made today by W. S. Fishback, Agent in charge of the city express office.

"We wish to emphasize the importance of shipping holiday gift packages early," said Mr. Fishback today. "This will avoid congestion with the regular traffic, and insure their arrival on time. Our most important task in handling holiday shipments is to deliver them before Christmas Day."

The express agent declared that the carriers ask the public to ship their Christmas gifts in "perfect packages," so that the shipments may be safely and quickly delivered.

Ask Special Care

He points out that it is advisable for holiday shippers to take special care in the packing and marking of their gift shipments. He urges plain, legible addresses directly on shipments, if possible, and with "all old marks erased."

Chirstmas gifts in boxes or cartoons should be so re-inforced with packing material as to avoid shifting of contents in transit. It is advisable to place the name and address of the shipper inside of the package.

This "inside information" often leads to the recovery of a misdirected or miscarried shipment, or one from which the address has been lost in transit.

The express company is distributing Christmas labels for gift shipments, carrying the words "Not to be Opened until Christmas," which can be obtained at local express offices.

Market News

Potatoes

Carlot shipments for the U. S. past 24 hours. Northern California 20, Colorado 41, Idaho 43, Maine 146, Mass. 6, Michigan 18, Minnesota 34, Montana 1, Nebraska 13, Nevada 1, New Hampshire 2, New Jersey 2, New York 1, Long Island 5, other New York 9, North Dakota 4, Oregon 6, Pennsylvania 9, South Dakota 1, Utah 1, East Shore Virginia 1, Washington 22, Wisconsin 26, Wyoming 2, total all states 441 cars; Canada 4 cars imported.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Waupaca and northern Wisconsin points: Carlots f. o. b. usual terms, light wire inquiry. Practically no demand or movement, market dull little change in prices, Sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.50.

Warehouse cash to growers basis: Demand and movement very slow market dull little change in prices. Bulk Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 at Waupaca mostly $1.00 at other Wisconsin warehouse points price ranged from $1.00 to $1.10: Most sales at $1.00.

Comment: No changes of importance were registered in f. o. b. Section of Wisconsin. Market maintaining its dull even tone. Larger markets report very slow demand for stock. Markets remain in unchanged position.

Leading Markets This Morning

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market dull and steady. Jobbing sales. U. S. Grade No. 1 Round Whites sacked mostly $1.90. Unclassified Round Whites, sacked and bulk mostly $1.60. Rurals in ½ bbl. crates U. S. Grade No. 1 mostly $2.00 per crate.

Chicago: 12 carlot arrivals: 93 cars on track. Demand slow, movement limited, market steady. Carlots outweight: Wisconsin sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.65-1.80; Minnesota sacked Round Whites U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.75, sacked Red River Ohio's U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.60-1.70, Idaho sacked Rurals U. S. Grade No. 1 $1.85-1.95.

Cabbage

Carlots: Wisconsin 13, total all states 84 cars.

Wisconsin Shipping Point Information

Somers: Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Prices to growers f. o. b. Somers, U. S. Grade No. 1 mostly $10, Danish Type bulk per ton.

Appleton: Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Prices to growers f. o. b. Appleton. U. S. Grade No. 1 Danish Type bulk per ton mostly $10.

Leading Markets This Morning

Milwaukee: Demand and movement moderate, market steady. Jobbing sales Holland Type bushel baskets mostly $1.35, barrels mostly $3.75.

Chicago: Carlot arrivals, California 1, Wisconsin 8, New York 2, total 11 cars. 41 cars on track. Demand and movement slow, market weak. Jobbing sales Wisconsin & New York Danish Type sacked per ton delivered $45-50.

Chicago Sheep Market

Fat lambs steady to 25c lower than Thursday low. Sheep and feeders steady to weak. Fat lambs to packers early $10-10.25. Some held higher. Good light yearlings $9.50. Good 150 lb. ewes $3.00-3.25, choice lights $5.00. Talking weak on feeders. Lambs 84 lbs. down medium, good, choice and prime $9.25-10.50. Lambs, culls and common $7.25-9.00. Feeding lambs $8.75-10.00. Yearling wethers $7-9; Wethers $4.50-6.25; Ewes $3.00-5.25, Ewes culls common $1.50-2.75.

Cheese Markets

Wisconsin primary point markets: (Wholesale prices.)

Domestic Cheese: Flats, majority sales 22½c per lb.; Twins, majority sales 20c per lb.; Single Daises majority sales 20c per lb.; Young Americas majority sales 21¼c per lb.; Longhorns majority sales 21¼c per lb.; Square Prints majority sales 22c per lb.

Foreign Cheese: Chicago (Wholesale prices) Swiss Fancy 33-35c per lb.; Swiss No. 1 36c per lb.; Swiss No. 2 22c per lb.; Limburger fancy 1 pounders 24-25c per lb.; Limburger No. 1 1 pounders 21c per lb.; Limburger No. 1 2 pounders 20c per lb.; Limburger fancy 2 pounders 23-25c per lb.; Brick fancy, 18½-19c per lb.

Butter & Eggs Markets

Important Notice: All sales of butter on jobbing "tub lot" basis, price per pound given. All sales of eggs on jobbing "case lot" basis, price per dozen given. All sales of the following markets are the early morning "flashes."

Chicago Markets: Butter market weaker, lower on extras at 43½c; Standards unchanged at 37. Firsts 41½-41c; Seconds 32-33½c; One sale extra at 44c; One sale extra at 43½c; 2 sales at extra 43c; Offerings 91 score 41-42 bid 40c; Firsts 34-43c bid 31c; Seconds 33-34c bid 31. Car 89 score storage 34½c no bid. Receipts 5473.

Egg Market: Weak 2 cents lower on fresh gathered firsts 45-46c; One to two cents lower on refrigerator firsts 35c.

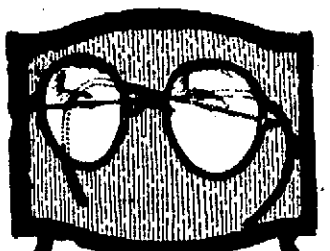
New York Markets: Butter Market—Steady likely unchanged. Two sales extras 44½c; 93 score offered 44½c bid 45c; extras 45-45½c bid 44c; 90 score offered 43c no bids; 87 score offered 36½c bid 33c; 93 score Danish offered 44½c bid 43c; 92 score Danish offered 44c bid 40½c; held extras 41c bid 39c; Receipts 6595.

Egg market: Steady likely unchanged two sales northern Iowa firsts 54c; One sale Indiana firsts 55c; extra firsts 58-60c bid 56-57c; Fresh gathered firsts 52-57c bid 50-51c; Calif. White extras 74-75c no bids Refrigerator firsts 39-37½c; Refrigerator seconds 35½-38 bid 32½-33; Receipts 7786.

Live Stock Markets

Chicago Hog Market: Butchers 15 to 20c lower, others 10-15c lower than Thursday average. Packing sows steady. Big packers doing very little. Pigs 10-15c lower, bulk desirable pigs $7.25-7.35; Average cost Thursday $6.95 weight 223½, heavies $6.75-6.80, mediums $6.75-6.90, lights $6.85-7.20, light lights $7.10-7.30, packing sows smooth $5.50-6.50, rough $5.25-5.75. Bulk of sales today hogs $6.65-7.00, top hogs $7.30.

Chicago Cattle Market: Dull, beef steers and fat she stock weak to 25c lower, quality plain. Canners, cutter and veal calves weak. Bullls steady, stockers, feeders steady. Beef steers 1,000 lbs. up, choice and prime $8.60-11.00, good $7.75-9.50 medium $6.50-8.15, common $5.50-6.50; Beef steers: 750-1,000 lbs. choice and prime $9.50-11.50, good $8.15-9.60, common $5.35-6.25: Butcher cattle, heifers $3.50-8.50, cows $3.25-6.40, bulls $3.60-6.15; Canners & Cutters, cows, heifers, $1.75-3.25, canner steers $2.75-3.75: Veal calves, light weights $6.75-10.00, heavy weights $3.00-8.25. Feeder cattle 1,000 lbs. up $5.25-7.00; 750-1,000 lbs. $5.00-7.00; Stockers $3.00-6.00.



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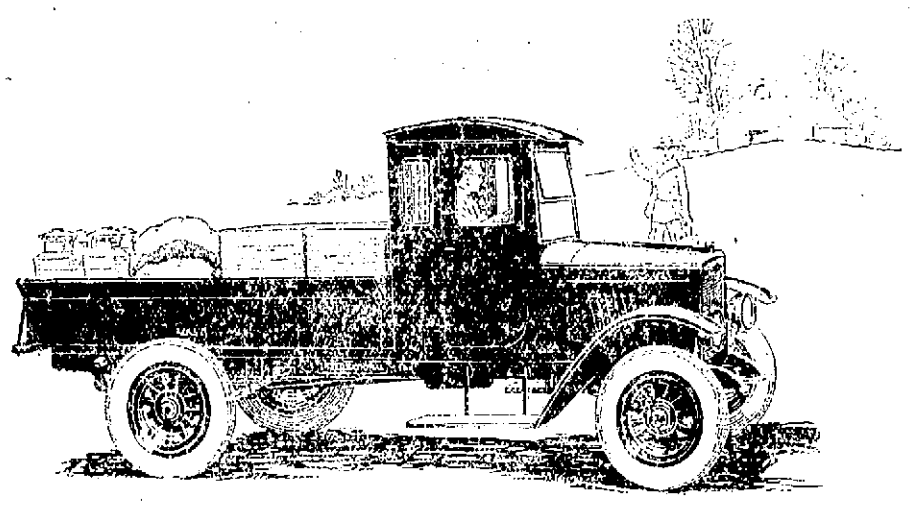

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The Green Pea Pirates

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CHAPTER V.—Scraggs refuses to submit his promises and Gibney and McGuffey "strike." With marvelous luck, Scraggs ships a fresh crew. At the end of a few days of wild conviviality Gibney and McGuffey are stranded and seek their old positions on the Maggie. They are hostilely received, but remain. On their way to San Francisco they sight a derelict and Gibney and McGuffey swim to it.

CHAPTER VI.—The derelict proves to be the Chesapeake, richly laden, its entire crew stricken with scurvy. Scraggs's attempts to tow her in, but the Maggie is unequal to the task. And Gibney and McGuffey, alone, sail the ship to San Francisco, their salvage money amounting to $200 apiece.

CHAPTER VII.—Independently rich, our two adventurers still have a kindly feeling for the Maggie, and, his crew having deserted him, Captain Scraggs induces them to return. At an "old horse" sale the three purchase two mysterious boxes which they believe to contain smuggled "Oriental goods." They find, instead, two dead Chinamen.

CHAPTER VIII.—Scraggs seeks to "double cross" his two associates, but Mr. Gibney outwits him and makes a satisfactory financial settlement with the Chinese company to whom the bodies have been consigned, leaving Scraggs out in the cold.

CHAPTER IX.—Gibney resents McGuffey's action in lending money to Scraggs without consulting him, and after a terrific wordy combat the three separate, McGuffey becoming assistant engineer on an oil tanker, Gibney disappearing, and Scraggs, forced to lay up the Maggie, takes a subordinate position on a ferry steamer. Señor Lopez, Mexican revolutionist, makes Scraggs a generous offer for transportation of munitions to Lower California. Scraggs accepts, and the old Maggie is once more put into commission. Arriving at his destination, Scraggs finds his old companion, Mr. Gibney, is the consignee. Time having softened animosities, the reunion is joyful. Gibney plans to steal the ammunition and convey it to revolutionists in Colombia. On their way they are attacked by a Mexican gunboat, which they capture, though the Maggie is damaged so that it has to be destroyed. On the gunboat, to which they transfer, they find their old friend McGuffey acting as engineer.

"Like playin' post-office," was McGuffey's comment.

The commodore smiled. "I thought you boys would see it that way. Now tomorrow I'm going ashore to buy three d'ver' outfits and lay in a big stock of provisions for the voyage. In the meantime, while the carpenters are gettin' the ship into shape, we'll leave the first mate in charge while we go ashore and have a good time. I've seen worse places than Panama."

As a result of this conference Mr. Gibney's suggestions were acted upon, and they contrived to make their brief stay in Panama very agreeable. They inspected the work on the canal, marveled at the stupendous engineering in the Culebra Cut, drank a little, gambled a little. McGuffey whipped a bartender. He was ordered arrested, and six spiggoty little policemen, sent to arrest him, were also thrashed. The reserves were called out and a riot ensued. Mr. Gibney, following the motto of the syndicate, i. e.,

All for one and one for all—
United we stand, divided we fall,

mixed in the conflict and presently found himself in durance vile. Captain Scraggs, luckily, forgot the motto and escaped, but inasmuch as he was on hand next morning to pay a fine of thirty pesos levied against each of the culprits, he was instantly forgiven. Mr. Gibney vowed that if a United States cruiser didn't happen to be lying in the roadstead, he would have shelled the town in retaliation.

But eventually the days passed, and the Maggie II, well found and ready for sea, shook out her sails to a fair breeze and sailed away for Kandavu. She kept well to the southwest until she struck the southeast trades, when she swung around on her course, headed straight for her destination. It was a pleasant voyage, devoid of incident, and the health of all hands was excellent. Mr. Gibney took daily observations, and was particular to make daily entries in his log when he, Scraggs, and McGuffey were not playing cribbage, a game of which all three were passionately fond.

On the afternoon of the twenty-ninth day after leaving Panama the lookout reported land. Through his glasses Mr. Gibney made out a cluster of palms at the southerly end of the island, and as the schooner held her course he could discern the white breakers foaming over the reefs that guarded the entrance to the harbor.

"That's Kandavu, all right," announced the commodore. "I was there in '80 with Bill McGinty in the schooner Dashin' Wave. There's the entrance to the harbor, with the Esk reefs to the north and the Pearl reefs to the south. The channel's very narrow—not more than three cables, if it's that, but there's plenty of water and a good muddy bottom that'll hold. McGuffey, lad, better run below and tune up your engines. It's too dangerous a passage on an ebb-tide for a sailin' vessel, so we'll run in under the power. Scraggsy, stand by and when I give the word have your crew shorten sail."

Within a few minutes a long white streak opened up in the wake of the schooner, announcing that McGuffey's engines were doing duty, and a nice breeze springing up two points aft the beam, the Maggie heeled over and fairly flew through the water. Mr. Gibney smiled an ecstatic smile as he took the wheel and guided the schooner through the channel. He rounded her up in twelve fathoms, and within five minutes every stitch of canvas was clewed down hard and fast. The sun was setting as they dropped anchor, and Mr. Gibney had lanterns hung along the sail so that it would be impossible for any craft to approach the schooner and board her without being seen. Also the watch on deck that night carried Mauser rifles, six-shooters, and cutlasses. Mr. Gibney was taking no chances.

CHAPTER XI.

"Now, boys," announced Commodore Gibney, as he sat at the head of the officers' mess at breakfast next morning, "there'll be a lot of canoes paddling out to visit us within the hour, so whatever you do, don't allow more than two of these cannibals aboard the schooner at the same time. Make 'em keep their weapons in the canoes with 'em, and at the first sign of trouble shoot 'em down like dogs. It may be that these precautions ain't necessary, but when I was here twenty years ago it was all the rage to kill a white man and eat him. Maybe times has changed, but the harbor and the coast looks just as wild and lonely as they ever did, and I didn't see no sign of missionary when we dropped hook last night. So don't take no chances."

All hands promised that they would take extreme care, to the end that their precious persons might remain intact, so Mr. Gibney finished his cup of coffee at a gulp and went on deck.

The Kandavu aborigines were not long in putting in an appearance. Even as Mr. Gibney came on deck half a dozen canoes shot out from the beach. Mr. Gibney immediately piped all hands on deck, armed them, and nonchalantly awaited the approach of what might or might not turn out to be an enemy.

When the flotilla was within pistol shot of the schooner Mr. Gibney stepped to the rail and motioned them back. Immediately the natives ceased paddling, and a wild-looking fellow stood up in the forward canoe. After the manner of his kind he had all his life soused his head in lime-water when making his savage toilette, and as a result his shock of black hair stood on end and bulged out like a crowded hayrick. He was naked, of course, and in his hand he held a huge war club.

"That feller'd eat a rattlesnake," gasped Captain Scraggs. "Shoot him, Gib, if he bats an eye."

"Shut up," said the commodore, a trifle testily; "that's the number-one nigger, who does the talkin'. Hello, boy."

"Hello, cap'n," replied the savage, and salaamed gravely. "You likee buy chicken, buy pig? Maybe you say come 'board. I talk. Me very good friend white master."

"Bless my sweet-scented soul!" gasped the commodore. "What won't them missionaries do next? Cut off my ears if this nigger ain't civilized!" He beckoned to the canoe and it shot alongside, and its brown crew came climbing over the rail of the Maggie II.

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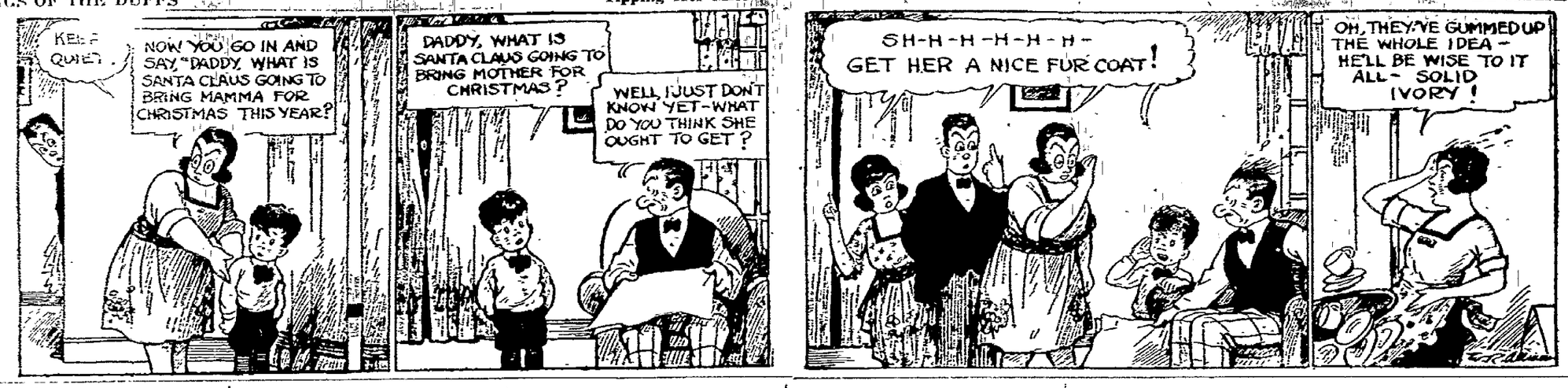
DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

Tipping Her Mitt

BY ALLMAN



GREEN BAY HOLDS ANNUAL EXPOSITION

Green Bay, Dec. 16.—The annual Jobbers' and Manufacturers' exposition will be held here Feb. 21-24, according to an announcement by the show committee. The exposition is being held under the auspices of the Jobbers' and Manufacturers' divisions of the Association of Commerce.

The committee reports indicate that the exposition of 1922 will surpass the one of 1921 in every respect. Over one half of the floor space has been already contracted for and it is understood that no trouble will be experienced in disposing of the rest of the space as the jobbers and manufacturers are exhibit their wares.

Food and building products will be given particular attention as it is hoped to make these exhibits the biggest feature of the exposition. An effort will be made to lay out the building section in such a way as to make the prospective home owner easily recognize the best material available.

Every retail dealer who has been doing business with Green Bay firms will be extended an invitation. An effort is also being made by the show committee to get reduced railroad rates to the exposition.

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NOTICE

WANTED MONEY—If you have money to invest, I have several clients desiring to borrow money on real estate security. Present applications for $700.00, $1800.00 and $2,000.00. C. E. Boles. 12-17

REDUCED EXCURSION FARES FOR THE HOLIDAYS—CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN RY.

Reduced excursion fares will be in effect for the holiday season based on fare and one-half for the round trip, to all points where the one way fare is $25.00 or less. Minimum excursion fare $2.50. Usual half fare rates for children.

Tickets on sale Dec. 22 to 24, inclusive. Final return limit Jan. 4, 1922.

Take advantage of this opportunity for making a holiday trip.

Full particulars on application to any Ticket Agent, Chicago & North Western Railway.—Advertisement 12-19

ATTENTION EX-SERVICE MEN!

—Any ex-service man out of employment should see one of the following committee of the American Legion on employment at once, viz: Philip Eron, Wisconsin Rapids, chairman; M. L. Carey, Nekoosa; Jerome Farrar, Port Edwards; Dr. W. G. Merrill, William Kraske, Wisconsin Rapids. tf

LODGE NOTICE

—Grand Rapids Chapter No. 89 R. A. M. will hold a public installation of officers at eight-thirty p. m. Monday, Dec. 19th, to which all chapter and Blue Lodge Masons are cordially invited. Dancing will follow the installation ceremonies.

The Committee,
By Edgar F. Kellogg, Secretary.
12-19

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

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For the year 1926, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $4,710 for principal and interest:

For the year 1927, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $4,520 for principal and interest;

For the year 1928, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $4,250 for principal and interest:

For the year 1929, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $4,170 for principal and interest;

For the year 1930, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,990 for principal and interest;

For the year 1931, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,810 for principal and interest:

For the year 1932, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,630 for principal and interest:

For the year 1933, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,450 for principal and interest:

For the year 1934, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,270 for principal and interest;

For the year 1935, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,090 for principal and interest;

That the interest maturing September 1, 1922, be paid from the general fund of said City and that said fund be reimbursed in a like amount out of the taxes hereby levied for the year 1922 when the same is collected.

Section 5. That all ordinances, resolutions and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Dated December 6, 1921.

Passed by the Common Council and approved December 6th, 1921.

Chas. E. Briere,
Mayor.
Attest:
F. G. Gilkey,
City Clerk.

Said Ordinance No. 234 as above set forth was duly adopted by the Common Council on roll call, Aldermen John Bamberg, Jake Huber, Ferd Link, O. R. Roenius, W. W. Rickman, John Ernser, Lacy Horton, Pete Tomsyck, James Lynch, Otto Marx, M. C. Whitrock, F. H. Jackson, George Gardner, John Ostroski, voting "aye" and no Alderman voting "no". The Mayor thereupon approved and declared Ordinance No. 234 duly adopted.

On motion and Roll call the following bills were allowed and ordered to be paid.

Bills as allowed:

L. J. Goodness	$ 9.25
Grand Rapids Foundry Co.	31.50
Grand Rapids Foundry Co.	67.00
Rice Dray & Transfer Line	7.25
J. J. Looze	10.50
O. Mortensen	5.00
Edw. Shierer	64.00
Joseph Lay Co.	16.50
Wm. Hess	18.00
J. E. Farley	1.40
Red Wing Sewer Pipe Co.	242.94
Peterson Con's Co.	293.20
Marling Lbr. Co.	417.19
American LaFrance Co.	1.75
F. X. Pomainville	90.15
E. T. McCarthy	8.50
J. A. Staub	8.20
Jensen & Anderson	9.00
Moore's Studio	1.35
Hein & Sutor	25.98
Nash Hardware Co.	67.50
Kellogg Bros. Lbr. Co.	61.13
F. S. Gill	73.25
J. R. Ragan	39.93
Wisc. Supply Co.	2.50
Model Drug Store	1.00
J. D. Smith	56.17
W. G. Henke Co.	1.70
Wood Co. Drug Co.	11.05
B. G. Chandos	6.60
Assc. Mfg. Co.	17.51
Eagle Chemical Co.	62.50
Standard Oil Co.	65.49
Western Union Tel. Co.	.62
Crane Co.	15.40
Irv. Henry Dray Line	5.47
Giese Bros. Inc.	6.30
Wood Co. Tel. Co.	28.43
Wisc. Rapids Tribune	54.80
Wisc. Rapids Electric Co.	609.54

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE WATER DEPT. FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1921

Overdraft, November 1	$24,030.50
Orders drawn in November	5,609.40
Overdraft December 1	$29,695.90

Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., Dec. 6, 1921.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids.

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit the report of my office for the month of November as follows:

Rec'd Nov. 4, of Citizens Nat'l Bank, note	$ 2,000.00
Rec'd Nov. 4 of Wood Co. National Bank, note	3,000.00
Rec'd Nov. 4 of First National Bank, note	2,000.00
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Wm. Hansemann, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Peter Keppel, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of John Worland, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Mary Vonker, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of J. E. Arpin, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of A. H. Kieberg, 2 garbage cans	6.50
Rec'd Nov. 5 of F. R. Wheelan, 2 garbage cans	6.50
Rec'd Nov. 5 of O. Garrison, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of O. N. Mortensen, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Krap. Con. Co., dept. earnings	12.80
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Baptist Church, rent G. A. R. Hall	3.00
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Con. Pa. P. Co., dept. earnings	29.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Mott & Wood Co., 2 garbage cans	6.50
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Wis. Rapid Oil Co., dept. earnings	5.00
Rec'd Nov. 15 of Four banks Wood Co., Citizens and First National	12,000.00
Total	$21,105.95
Nov. 1 cash on hand	$11,710.72
Deposited in November	21,105.95
Total	$32,816.67
Cancelled vouchers in Nov. 1921	11,719.71
Cash on hand Dec. 1	$21,097.27
Checks outstanding Dec. 1	1,197.15

Respectfully submitted,
Louis Schad,

On motion Council adjourned.

F. G. Gilkey,
Clerk.

LEGALS

AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
(63-10-17)

State of Wisconsin, County Court Wood County—In Probate.

In re Estate of Paulina Ostruske, Deceased.

Notice Is Hereby Given, That at the term of said Court to be held on the 4th Tuesday (being the 27th day) of December, A. D. 1921, at the Court House in the city of Wisconsin Rapids, County of Wood and State of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered the application of John Ostruske, Herman J. Ostruskeand Matilda Tessa, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Paulina Ostruske, late of the village of Nekoosa, in said County, deceased:

Notice Is Hereby Further Given, That at the term of said court to be held at said Court House, on the 1st Tuesday, (being the 4th day) of April A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims said Paulina Ostruske, deceased;

And Notice Is Hereby Further Given, that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House, in the city of Wisconsin Rapids, in said county and state, on or before the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1922, or be barred.

Dated Dec. 3rd, 1921.

By The Court,
J. J. Jeffrey, Attorney for Estate. W. J. Conway, County Judge.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

City Hall, Council Chambers, December 6th, 1921.

Council met in regular session, Mayor Chas. E. Briere, Presiding. Aldermen present: John Ramberg, John Ermser, Ferd Link, Jake Huber, Lacy Horton, O. R. Roenius, W. W. Rickman, James Lynch, P. Tomsyck, Otto Marx, M. C. Whitrock, F. H. Jackson, W. H. Gardner and J. Ostrowski. Aldermen Absent: John Roberts and Benj. Hansen.

Reading of the minutes of the previous session dispensed with upon motion duly made and seconded.

Street Comimttee brought in a report on Eleventh Avenue North, with reference to opening up the Street and recommended that the City Engineer survey the same to ascertain the lines. Motion carried.

Petition for the opening of Ninth Street South signed by the free holders of the Fourth Ward of said City, praying that said Ninth Street be extended South across the Corcoran Lot, having been signed by approximate thirty-five free holders, it was on motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried that said Petition be referred to the Board of Public Works for action pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided. Motion unanimously adopted.

It was on motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried that the following resolution be adopted, to-wit: "Be It Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids that E. E. Camp and his associates and assigns be and they hereby are authorized to erect and maintain poles and wires for the purpose of conducting electric current from the end of the present City electric line on the westerly side of the southerly extension of Third Street to the City limits of the City of Wisconsin Rapids and further on the lands owned by the City of Wisconsin Rapids along the westerly side of said highway extended to the point where said highway turns South in the Town of Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin."

Petition of E. F. Gilmaster for rebate of $50.00 license money for the year 1920 received and on motion duly made same was referred to the City Attorney for a report.

It was thereupon duly moved, seconded and unanimously carried that th etime for payment of taxes for 1921 be extended until and including the last day of February 1922 without penalty. Motion unanimously adopted.

Ordinance No. 236, being an ordinance granting permission and authority to the Standard Oil Company to erect and maintain a service station was thereupon presented and read to the Council and it was thereupon moved that Ordinance No. 235 be adopted. Motion duly seconded and unanimously carried. Said Ordinance being as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 235

The Common council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That permission and authority is hereby given and granted to the Standard Oil Company, a corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the State of Indiana, to construct and maintain for a term of fifty (50) years, on the following described property, to-wit:

Lot Eight (8) of Block Fourteen (14) of Neeves First and Second Addition to the City of Wisconsin Rapids, formerly Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, being the Southwest corner of Oak and Third Streets South,

a service station and small private garage, also under ground storage tanks suitable for its business to store petroleum products.

Section 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect on and after its passage and acceptance in writing by the said Standard Oil Company.

Dated December 6th, A. D. 1921.

Approved
Charles E. Briere
Mayor
F. G. Gilkey
City Clerk.

It having been brought to the attention of the Council that Charles Kluge is erecting a building contrary to the Fire Ordinance of this city, it was moved, seconded and unanimously carried that if said structure be not removed by August 1st, 1922, that steps be taken to cause the same to be removed pursuant to the Ordinances.

It was thereupon duly moved, seconded and unanimously carried that the City Engineer be instructed to strictly enforce the sidewalk cleaning ordinance and if the property owners do not shovel the sidewalks that the City do so, pursuant to said ordinance and charge the same against the property.

A petition having been presented by all of the property owners, excepting one, of all the lands on Vine Street, lying between Second and Third Streets, asking that said part of Vine Street be paved. Petition received and referred to the Street Committee for action.

The City Clerk having presented due proof that the Resolution of the Common Council referring to the proposed $36,000.00 Water Works Bonds issue of the proposed bond issue having been duly published pursuant to the Resolution of the Common Council as adopted November 1, 1921 in the Daily Tribune, the official newspaper of said City and after due proof of such publication having been filed it was on motion of Alderman John Ramberg and seconded by Alderman O. R. Roenius, that Ordinance No. 234 being the ordinance providing for the issuing of $36,000.000 Water Works Improvement Bonds be adopted. Said Ordinance being as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 234

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issue of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000) Water Works Improvement Bonds of the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, and providing for the levy of taxes to pay the same.

Whereas, it is deemed necessary for the best interest of the citizens and residents of said city that extensions be made to the City water works plant and system, and that bonds of said city in the amount of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000) be issued and sold to pay the cost of such improvements:

Now, Therefore, the Common Council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That for the purpose of providing funds to improve the city water works plant and system, there be borrowed upon the credit of said city the sum of Thirty-six Thousand Dollars ($36,000), and that bonds be issued therefor.

Section 2. That said bonds be designated Water Works Improvement Bonds, be dated January 1, 1922, be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each, numbered from one to thirty-six, both included, and mature in numerical order $3,000 on March 1st of each of the years 1925 to 1936, both years included. That said bonds bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of March and of September of each year; that said bonds be signed by the Mayor and sealed with the corporate seal of said city and attested by the City Clerk thereof, and that the interest upon said bonds be evidenced by coupons thereto attached, maturing upon the several days when such interest matures, and that such coupons be signed by the said mayor and city clerk by their respective fac simile signatures, and said officers shall, by the execution of said bonds, adopt as and for their own proper signatures their respective fac simile signatures appearing on said coupons; that said bonds and coupons be payable at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

Section 3. That said bonds and coupons be in substantially the following forms:

(FORM OF BOND)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY OF WOOD
CITY OF WISCONSIN RAPIDS
WATER WORKS IMPROVEMENT BOND

No. ——— $1,000

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the City of Wisconsin Rapids, in the County of Wood, and State of Wisconsin, hereby acknowledges itself to owe, and for value received promises to pay to bearer the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) on the First day of March, 19——, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable September 1, 1922, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of March and of September of each year, on presentation and surrender of the interest coupons attached hereto as they severally mature. Both principal hereof and interest hereon are hereby made payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin. For the prompt payment of this bond, with interest thereon as aforesaid, and for the levy of taxes sufficient for that purpose, the full faith, credit and resources of said City are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is one of an issue of $36,000 of like date, tenor and effect, save as to maturity, issued to improve the city water works plant and system, pursuant to and in all respects in compliance with sections 925-133 and other pertinent sections of the Wisconsin Statutes, 1919, and an ordinance duly passed by the Common Council of said City, and approved and published.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, things and acts required by law to exist, to be or to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have been, have existed and have been performed in due form and time; that the indebtedness of said city, including this bond, does not exceed any limitation imposed by law, and that provision has been made for the collection of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay this bond and interest thereon as the same matures.

In Testimony Whereof, the City of Wisconsin Rapids, by its Common Council, has caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and attested by its city clerk and the coupons hereto attached to be signed by said Mayor and City Clerk by their respective fac simile signatures, and said officers, by the execution of this bond, do adopt as and for their respective proper signatures, their respective fac simile signatures appearing on said coupons, as of this first day of January, 1922.

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Mayor.

Attested:

———
City Clerk.

(FORM OF COUPON)

No. ——— $ ———

On the first day of ———, 19—, the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin, promises to pay to bearer ——— Dollars ($———) at the office of the City Treasurer, in the City of Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, for interest due that day on its Water Works Improvement Bond, dated January 1, 1922, No. ———.

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Mayor.

———
City Clerk.

Section 4. That in order to provide for the collection of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due and to pay and discharge the principal thereof at maturity, there be and there is hereby levied upon all the taxable property in said City a direct annual tax in amount sufficient for that purpose, and there be and there is hereby levied upon all the taxable property in said City the following direct annual tax, to-wit:

For the year 1922, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,600 to pay interest maturing September 1, 1922, and March 1 and September 1, 1923;

For the year 1923, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $2,160 for interest;

For the year 1924, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $5,070 for principal and interest;

For the year 1925, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $4,890 for principal and interest;

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ASK FUNDS FOR HELIUM PLANT

ARMY OFFICER SAYS PEACE TIME VALUE OF GAS WARRANTS MAINTENANCE OF PRODUCTION

Fort Worth, Tex.—Hope that congress will see the possibilities of helium-non explosive baloon gas—not as a war time measure, but for purposes of peace, was expressed by Commander Allen G. Olson, in charge of the helium plant operated near Fort Worth by the United States navy. The limitation of armament program should not influence helium production, he said, because of its peace time possibilities.

The plant here, which is one of the two in the United States, was shut down at midnight November 30, pending further appropriation by congress to maintain it. The other plant, located at Petrolia, Texas, has been closed since July 1, 1921, the end of the last fiscal year.

Ask Congress Aid

Representatives in congress have been asked to aid in influencing that body to increase the appropriation for maintaining the Fort Worth plant. Comamander Olson expects the plant to be shut down only for a short time, he said, until congress can make suitable provision after it convenes December 5. Several hundred thousand dollars will be necessary for the operation of the plant on a full time basis, he said.

Established in 1918, the helium plant here has been engaged chiefly in experimental work while producin gthe gas. While the cost of extracting the helium from the natural gas of the petroleum fields of Texas has been expensive, Commander Olson said, the Fort Worth plant gradually has been lowering the cost of production.

Is Non-Explosive

"Helium is worth any price," said Commander Olson, "if for no other reason than its non-explosive quality, which eliminates the great danger now present in lighter-than-air craft."

The local plant has sufficient funds to maintain it on a "stand-by" basis until July 1, 1922, the beginning of the next fiscal year, the commander said. The working force numbers 130 to 150 men, he said.

The helium is stored in metal cylinders holding 200 cubic feet, after it has been extracted from the natural gas. The storage space is sufficient for about a million cubic feet of the gas, the commander said.

The product of the plant here is about 95 per cent pure, according to Commander Olson. Helium must be 99 per cent pure in order to be entirely non-explosive, chemists say.

HEALTH TESTS SHOW BIG GAINS IN WEIGHT

Cleveland, O.—A series of tests conducted by the Cuyahoga County Public Health Association, which just ended, resulted in thirteen newsboys gaining a pound a week in weight. Eight-tenths of a pound a month is the normal gain for boys of their age, it was stated.

Of two teams of newsboys, a score in all, which started out on a five weeks test, thirteen finished. During the test the boys abstained from drinking coffee, tea and smoking, and drank a pint of milk a day.

There is a movement on foot to ban the short skirt, but its opponents are not proceeding on the ground that it has been here too long.

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SOCIETY *News of Interest To Women* EVENTS

Yearly Supper Party—

The members of the Senior Class of the Lincoln High School, very delightfully entertained the Faculty Friday evening at a five-thirty cafeteria supper served in the serving room at the Witter building.

Following supper the guests marched to the music room which had been gaily decorated for the occasion with colors of red and green. Santa Claus appeared on the scene soon after. and distributed gifts to all present.

A movie show then followed, Clarence Reiland appearing as the heroine and Robert Reiland as the hero. These brilliant stars were supported by a fine cast.

Miss Ruby Treutel sang an illustrated solo entitled "Little Orphant Annie" in a very creditable manner. She was accompanied on the piano by Miss Bess Bradford.

The next number on the program was a shadow film comedy with a fine cast of funny people which was one of the enjoyable features of the entertainment.

The evening fun closed with dancing, music being furnished by the High School Orchestra, assisted by Miss Clayre Thurber and Walter Burt.

The entertainment was in charge of Miss Bess Bradford who proved her ability by its success and enjoyment.

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Kensington Tea—

The S. A. C. Club, a newly organized social club, held its initial meeting Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. R. E. Balch, Corner Ninth and Wylie streets, where a Kensington Tea was enjoyed. Christmas decorations adorned the rooms, the feature being a Christmas tree sparkling with many bright colored ornaments, and festooned with ropes of tinsel.

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Surprise Party—

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bender, 377 9th st. S., entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Laura Witt, a bride of the near future. Several interesting games were played, prizes being won by Mrs. W. A. Baldauf and Miss Witt. At 10:30 a delicious lunch was served after which two tables were used in playing cards. Frank Calkins held high score and C. K. Crause low score.

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Church Night —

The Church Night celebration at the First Congregational Church Thursday evening was a hugh success there being a large attendance than ever before.

The entertainment consisted of several numbers by a quartet of High School girls, solos by Mrs. D. Waters. E. H. Justice, the new scout executive gave a short talk after which several numbers were given by an orchestra composed of Clarence Jackson: Hugh Goggins, Mr. Simpson and Mrs. Herbert Karberg.

The next Church Night will be held Thursday, December 21.

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E. F. U. Meet.—

At the meeting of the E. F. U. lodge last night, one new member was initiated.

It was also decided to give a supper, public installation and dance January 5, 1922. A public speaker has ben secured for the occasion from Neenah.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Sadie Wolcott and children arrived home this morning from Saratoga where they spent some time at the Wolcott home.

Miss Emily Mead who attends Dana Hall at Wellesley, Conn., arrived home Thursday morning to remain over the holiday season. She was accompanied from Chicago by her mother, Mrs. George W. Mead, who met her in that city.

Eugene Hess wh attends Carroll College at Waukesha arrived home Friday afternoon for the holidays.

Miss Jessie Chase of Wautoma is a week end guest of her sister Miss Ruth Chase who is employed in this city.

I. E. Wilcox returned Friday from a business trip to Necedah.

Mrs. Irmegarde Morrison left this noon for her home in Ft. Atkinson after an extended visit with friends in this city.

Ben Crosby returned this morning from a businses trip to Necedah.

Stanley Starks who is a student at Lawrence college in Appleton will arrive home today to remain until after the New Year.

T. A. Taylor left Friday evening on a business trip to Chicago.

Architect F. H. Manske left this noon for Milwaukee, on a two weeks business trip.

Miss Beatrice Richards, who teaches in St. Cloud, Minn., public schools arrived home this morning to spend the holiday vacation.

Rev. R. F. Poutz of Clintonville was a Friday visitor in this city.

Announcements have been received from Mr. and Mrs. William R. Lockert of Tacoma, Wash., of the arrival of a daughter, December Twelfth. Mrs. Lockert was formerly Miss Gladys Natwick of this city.

David Levin, a student at Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill., will arrive this evening to remain over the holidays at his home in this city.

Fred Thusins of Wausau spent Friday with friends in this city.

Miss Ethel Anderson who teaches in the Rudolph school is spending the week end at her home here.

Miss Sophie Middelstead, bookkeeper at Gottschalk and Anderson Grocery store is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Miss Susan McFarland, 441 8th avenue south, her guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bender of Bradley, S. Dak., returned Friday evening from a visit with relatives in Three Lakes. Mr. and Mrs. Bender left for Plainfield this morning to visit relatives over the week end.

H. C. Knapp, manager of the basket ball team, returned this morning from a business trip to Milwaukee.

Miss Thelma Bohn and Donald Mc Glynn, who attend Lawrence College, at Appleton, arrived Friday evening to spend the holiday vacation at their homes in this city.

Mrs. John Kennedy of Auburndale who has been visiting at the Jos. Berdan home left this morning for her home.

Frank Waterstreet of 659 9th Ave. S., left today to spend the Christmas holidays at Green Bay and Kewanee.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Mitchell, returned yesterday afternoon from Fairchild where they spent the summer.

Mr. Harker, teacher at the Lincoln High School left last evening for Argyle, Wis., to spend the holidays.

Miss Ruth Parks who attends Stevens Point Normal arrived home to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Parks, Oak St.

Chas. Zeroth left for Rock Island, Ill., to spend the Christmas holidays.

Ward Johnson left today for Madison, Milwaukee and Janesville on a business trip.

Miss Anna Gibson who teaches at the Lowell School left for her home at Dodgeville for her vacation.

Miss Hazel Parks left for Marshfield where she will spend the week end.

Miss Edna Hatch, teacher at the Lincoln High School is spending her Christmas vacation at her home in Spring Green.

Mrs. Idwin Graetz and son Robert left for Milwaukee Thursday to spend the holidays with friends and relatives.

Al Schenker of Chicago is a week end visitor of friends in the city.

George Bankert spent Friday in Mosinee.

Albert Schankert of Chicago, is a week end guest of friends in this city

LEST YOU FORGET

Tonight

Palace Theater—Thos. Meighan in "The Easy Road."

Ideal Theater—Roy Stewart in "Sheriff Jim."

Basketball game—Tri-City A. C. vs. Oshkosh B'Gosh Overalls.

Port Edwards Auditorium—"Henry, the Magician."

Future Dates

Dec. 18. Palace Theater—Conway Tearle in "The Fighter."

Dec. 18. Ideal Theater—Marie Prevost in "Moonlight Follies."

Dec. 19. F. & A. M. Installation.

Dec. 20. Palace Theater—Alice Brady in "The Land of Hope."

Dec. 21-22. Palace Theater—Constance Talmadge in "In Search of a Sinner."

Jan. 12. Port Edwards Auditorium—Skovgaard, the Danish Violinist, in recital.

Jan 2. E. F. U. Supper and Dance.

THEATRES

PALACE THEATER

Beautiful exterior scenes, a thrilling railroad wreck and lavish studio sets are among the many features of the new Conway Tearle picture, "The Fighter," which will be shown at the Palace theater tomorrow.

"The Fighter" was written by Albert Payson Terhune and is said to be among the best photoplays in which Conway Tearle has been starred. Lovely Winifred Westover plays the leading feminine role and direction was by Henry Kolker.

The story has to do with a man who by dint of his inherent fighting disposition, has won his way to the top of the heap in the commercial world. He is a man's man throughout and has little time or thought for the frivolities of life. But his ward, Dey Sherlin (Miss Westover), has just reached the budding stage and, as with most debutantes, she has an eye open for high social opportunities. Her guardian, despite his lack of interest in things socially, determines that his ward shall have her wish and it is then that The Fighter finds himself confronted with the most difficult struggle in his fighting career. His enemies find a new avenue of attack that heretofore had remained closed to them and the battle that ensues makes for one of the most engrossing bits of screen fiction ever shown.

Another big feature of this new Conway Tearle picture is a thrilling train wreck in which the hero and his engine in which he is racing pitches off a burning trestle into a river some two hundred feet below. The scene carries all the realism and thrill of a genuine wreck and was secured at great expense and hazard on the part of those filming it.

IDEAL THEATER

One of the most distinguished casts assembled for a screen production in recent weeks may be seen in "The Barricade," produced by William Christy Cabanne for R-C Pictures Corporation and scheduled for screening at the Ideal theater beginning Tuesday.

Mr. Cabanne, always insistent upon true types for the various roles in his productions, selected all his players with an eye to their especial fitness for the parts to which they were assigned.

Kenneth Harlan, juvenile lead, who portrays the part of Robert Brennan who was reared from boyhood by a kindly old Hebrew, has won a high reputation as a skillful actor. In support of Constance Talmadge he has done particularly good work.

Katherine Spencer, well known on the stage and screen, plays opposite Mr. Harlan and gives a distinguished performance. Miss Spencer has a role to which she gives the full scope of her unusual talents. As a young woman of high standing in social life, she portrays her part with great skill.

William A. Strauss has the most important role. As an elderly Hebrew who rears the young Irish boy and enables him to attain success as a physician, he puts into effect his theory that genuine love and human understanding do far more to beget happiness than prejudice and false pride.

Mr. Strauss has for years been prominent on the stage as a character actor and leading man and frequently "followed" David Warfield in that famous actor's roles in road productions such as "The Music Master," "The Auctioneer" and others. As a screen actor, too, Mr. Strauss has built for himself a formidable reputation.

Eugene Borden, as Sam Steiner, a ne'er-do-well, is one of the outstanding members of the cast. He will be recalled for his artistic playing in "The Stealers" and others of Mr. Cabanne's productions. Mr. Borden is a young actor of high attainments.

Dorothy Richards, James Harrison and John O'Connor, the latter a juvenile actor of unusual skill, also appear in Mr. Cabanne's extraordinary cast.

"The Barricade" will be shown at the Ideal theater Tuesday and Wednesday, December 21 and 22.

SCHOOLHOUSE IS BEST AGENT FOR AMERICANIZATION

Madison, Wis.—The one room school house is proving to be the greatest force for Americanization of Wisconsin's so-called "foreign settlements", which are particularly numerous in the newly developed sections of the northern counties, according to G. M. Householder of the state bureau of immigration.

With the establishment of the American school in settlements, often made up of foreigners retaining the customs of their home country, comes a gradual transformation that cannot be resisted, Mr. Householder said. Children take up the language and the ways of modern America which they carry into their homes, he declared, bringing about a change from the old country conventions.

Many Foreigners

Scattered throughout the northern counties of the state are small communities where the foreigners of like nationalities congregate according to the immigration bureau. Germans and Scandinavians head the list of foreign born, with Slavs and Poles in somewhat smaller numbers, and scattered settlements of Swiss, Hollanders, Bohemians and Danes.

Into this country with the other American settlers have come Kentuckians, who have taken to wood cutting in Forest county. Their settlements are said tohave a resemblance to their former Kentucky hill homes, with moonshining not uncommon.

While foreign born are numerous in sections of the state, the great influx of immigrants here are from the corn belt states, settled Americans who wish to buy farms of their own, Mr. Householder said. Their influence, he declared, is to bring a change from the old world customs of their foreign born neighbors.

School Americanizes

But the real influence for Americanization, in his opinion, is the one room school, and along with it, the county agent extending boys and girls club work. Entering the home through the children is the best way to improve the standard of living of a family that has not yet acquired American ways, nor the English language.

The Germans, Scandinavians and the Bohemians are said to be exceptionally good managers and general farmers, and to have been active in developing the cut-over sections of the north. They Americanize rapidly and are said to be quick in taking advantage of more advanced farming methods.

The most important industry is said to be dairying. New methods are rapidly being adopted by the foreigners through activity of the schools and county agents, and with more advanced farming ways, the industry is declared to be rapidly developing.

CHILDREN EARNING OWN XMAS MONEY

Great enthusiasm has been shown by the children of the Lincoln and Irving School Kindergartens, who are planning Christmas presents for their parents. In order to get the gifts, they have been earning and saving pennies and bringing them to the kindergarten. When they have earned the necessary amounts, the gifts will be purchased and put into a box which they have made.

Some very interesting and amusing tasks have been performed by them in earning their money. Here are some of the tasks as reported by the children:

Howard Leland helped put the chairs near the dining table. Jimmie Hanneman got in the daily paper and brought potatoes and onions up from the cellar. Donald Reiland took up the dishes for his mother. Betty McGlynn wiped dishes. Frank Gaulke dressed his little brother and go him ready to go to town. Helen Arndt took care of the baby for mother. Ralph Sampson went down town for his sister Janet. Howard Horton, Jr. carried wood. Lois Stahl washed and wiped the dishes and pumped water. Madeline Lew swept the kitchen floor. Leonard Smith went to the store for milk. Pattie Howard picked up the sewing scraps. Jimmie Minehan swept the floor for his mother. Dorothy Hanneman wiped the dishes. Susan Turbin cleaned house. Doris Gieue put crean paper in the knife box. Marvin Love took Mrs. Slattery's hammer to his grandpa to have it fixed.

Numerous other tasks were done by these small children who have caught the Christmas spirit and are working hard to be a real Santa Claus themselves.

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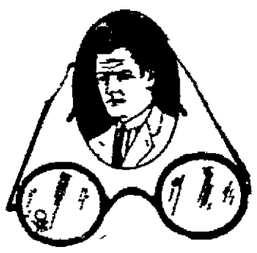
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The Green Pea Pirates

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CHAPTER V.—Scraggs refuses to fulfill his promises and Gibney and McGuffey "strike." With marvelous luck, Scraggs ships a fresh crew. At the end of a few days of wild conviviality Gibney and McGuffey are stranded and seek their old positions on the Maggie. They are hostilely received, but remain. On their way to San Francisco they sight a derelict and Gibney and McGuffey swim to it.

CHAPTER VI.—The derelict proves to be the Chesapeake, richly laden, its entire crew stricken with scurvy. Scraggs attempts to tow her in, but the Maggie is unequal to the task and Gibney and McGuffey, alone, sail the ship to San Francisco, their salvage money amounting to $1,000 apiece.

CHAPTER VII.—Independently rich, our two adventurers still have a kindly feeling for the Maggie, and, his crew having deserted him, Captain Scraggs induces them to return. At an "old horse" sale the three purchase two mysterious boxes which they believe to contain smuggled "Oriental goods." They find, instead, two dead Chinamen.

CHAPTER VIII.—Scraggs seeks to "double cross" his two associates, but Mr. Gibney outwits him and makes a satisfactory financial settlement with the Chinese company to whom the bodies have been consigned, leaving Scraggs out in the cold.

CHAPTER IX.—Gibney resents McGuffey's action in lending money to Scraggs without consulting him, and after a terrific wordy combat the three separate, McGuffey becoming assistant engineer on an oil tanker, Gibney disappearing, and Scraggs, forced to lay up the Maggie, takes a subordinate position on a ferry steamer. Senor Lopez, Mexican revolutionist, makes Scraggs a generous offer for transportation of munitions to Lower California. Scraggs accepts, and the old Maggie is once more put into commission. Arriving at his destination, Scraggs finds his old companion, Mr. Gibney, is the consignee. Time having softened animosities, the reunion is joyful. Gibney plans to steal the ammunition and convey it to revolutionists in Colombia. On their way they are attacked by a Mexican gunboat, which they capture, though the Maggie is damaged so that it has to be destroyed. On the gunboat, to which they transfer, they find their old friend McGuffey acting as engineer.

"Like playin' post-office," was McGuffey's comment.

The commodore smiled. "I thought you boys would see it that way. Now tomorrow I'm going ashore to buy three divin' outfits and lay in a big stock of provisions for the voyage. In the interim, while the carpenters are gettin' the ship into shape, we'll leave the first mate in charge while we go ashore and have a good time. I've seen worse places than Panama."

As a result of this conference Mr. Gibney's suggestions were acted upon, and they contrived to make their brief stay in Panama very agreeable. They inspected the work on the canal, marveled at the stupendous engineering in the Culebra Cut, drank a little, gambled a little. McGuffey whipped a bartender. He was ordered arrested, and six spiggoty little policemen, sent to arrest him, were also thrashed. The reserves were called out and a riot ensued. Mr. Gibney, following the motto of the syndicate, i. e.,

All for one and one for all—
United we stand, divided we fall,

mixed in the conflict and presently found himself in durance vile. Captain Scraggs, luckily, forgot the motto and escaped, but inasmuch as he was on hand next morning to pay a fine of thirty pesos levied against each of the culprits, he was instantly forgiven. Mr. Gibney vowed that if a United States cruiser didn't happen to be lying in the roadstead, he would have shelled the town in retaliation.

But eventually the days passed, and the Maggie II, well found and ready for sea, shook out her sails to a fair breeze and sailed away for Kandavu. She kept well to the southwest until she struck the southeast trades, when she swung around on her course, headed straight for her destination. It was a pleasant voyage, devoid of incident, and the health of all hands was excellent. Mr. Gibney took daily observations, and was particular to make daily entries in his log when he, Scraggs, and McGuffey were not playing cribbage, a game of which all three were passionately fond.

On the afternoon of the twenty-ninth day after leaving Panama the lookout reported land. Through his glasses Mr. Gibney made out a cluster of tall palms at the southerly end of the island, and as the schooner held lazily on her course he could discern the white breakers foaming over the reefs that guarded the entrance to the harbor.

"That's Kandavu, all right," announced the commodore. "I was there in '89 with Bill McGinty in the schooner Dashin' Wave. There's the entrance to the harbor, with the Esk reefs to the north and the Pearl reefs to the south. The channel's very narrow—not more than three cables, if it's that, but there's plenty of water and a good muddy bottom that'll hold. Mr. Guffey, lad, better run below and tune up your engines. It's too dangerous a passage on an ebb-tide for a sailin' vessel, so we'll run in under the power. Scraggsy, stand by and when I give the word have your crew shorten sail."

Within a few minutes a long white streak opened up in the wake of the schooner, announcing that McGuffey's engines were doing duty, and a nice breeze springing up two points aft the beam, the Maggie heeled over and fairly flew through the water. Mr. Gibney smiled an ecstatic smile as he took the wheel and guided the schooner through the channel. He rounded her up in twelve fathoms, and within five minutes every stitch of canvas was clewed down hard and fast. The sun was setting as they dropped anchor, and Mr. Gibney had lanterns hung along the sail so that it would be impossible for any craft to approach the schooner and board her without being seen. Also the watch on deck that night carried Mauser rifles, six-shooters, and cutlasses. Mr. Gibney was taking no chances.

CHAPTER XI.

"Now, boys," announced Commodore Gibney, as he sat at the head of the officers' mess at breakfast next morning, "there'll be a lot of canoes paddling off to visit us within the hour, so whatever you do, don't allow more than two of these cannibals aboard the schooner at the same time. Make 'em keep their weapons in the canoes with 'em, and at the first sign of trouble shoot 'em down like dogs. It may be that these precautions ain't necessary, but when I was here twenty years ago it was all the rage to kill a white man and eat him. Maybe times has changed, but the harbor and the coast looks just as wild and lonely as they ever did, and I didn't see no sign of missionary when we dropped hook last night. So don't take no chances."

All hands promised that they would take extreme care, to the end that their precious persons might remain intact, so Mr. Gibney finished his cup of coffee at a gulp and went on deck.

The Kandavu aborigines were not long in putting in an appearance. Even as Mr. Gibney came on deck half a dozen canoes shot out from the beach. Mr. Gibney immediately piped all hands on deck, armed them, and nonchalantly awaited the approach of what might or might not turn out to be an enemy.

When the flotilla was within pistol shot of the schooner Mr. Gibney stepped to the rail and motioned them back. Immediately the natives ceased paddling, and a wild-looking fellow stood up in the forward canoe. After the manner of his kind he had all his life soused his head in lime-water when making his savage toilette, and as a result his shock of black hair stood on end and bulged out like a crowded hayrick. He was naked, of course, and in his hand he held a huge war club.

"That feller'd eat a rattlesnake," gasped Captain Scraggs. "Shoot him, Gib, if he bats an eye."

"Shut up," said the commodore, a trifle testily; "that's the number-one nigger, who does the talkin'. Hello, boy."

"Hello, cap'n," replied the savage, and salaamed gravely. "You likee buy chicken, buy pig? Maybe you say come 'board, I talk. Me very good friend white master."

"Bless my sweet-scented soul!" gasped the commodore. "What won't them missionaries do next? Cut off my ears if this nigger ain't civilized!" He beckoned to the canoe and it shot alongside, and its brown crew came climbing over the rail of the Maggie II.

(To be continued)

GREEN BAY HOLDS ANNUAL EXPOSITION

Green Bay, Dec. 16.—The annual Jobbers' and Manufacturers exposition will be held here Feb. 21-24, according to an announcement by the show committee. The exposition is being held under the auspices of the Jobbers' and Manufacturers' divisions of the Association of Commerce.

The committee reports indicate that the exposition of 1922 will surpass the one of 1921 in every respect. Over one half of the floor space has been already contracted for and it is understood that no trouble will be experienced in disposing of the rest of the space as the jobbers and manufacturers are exhibit their wares.

Food and building products will be given particular attention as it is hoped to make these exhibits the biggest feature of the exposition. An effort will be made to lay out the building section in such a way as to make the prospective home owner easily recognize the best material available.

Every retail dealer who has been doing business with Green Bay firms will be extended an invitation. An effort is also being made by the show committee to get reduced railroad rates to the exposition.

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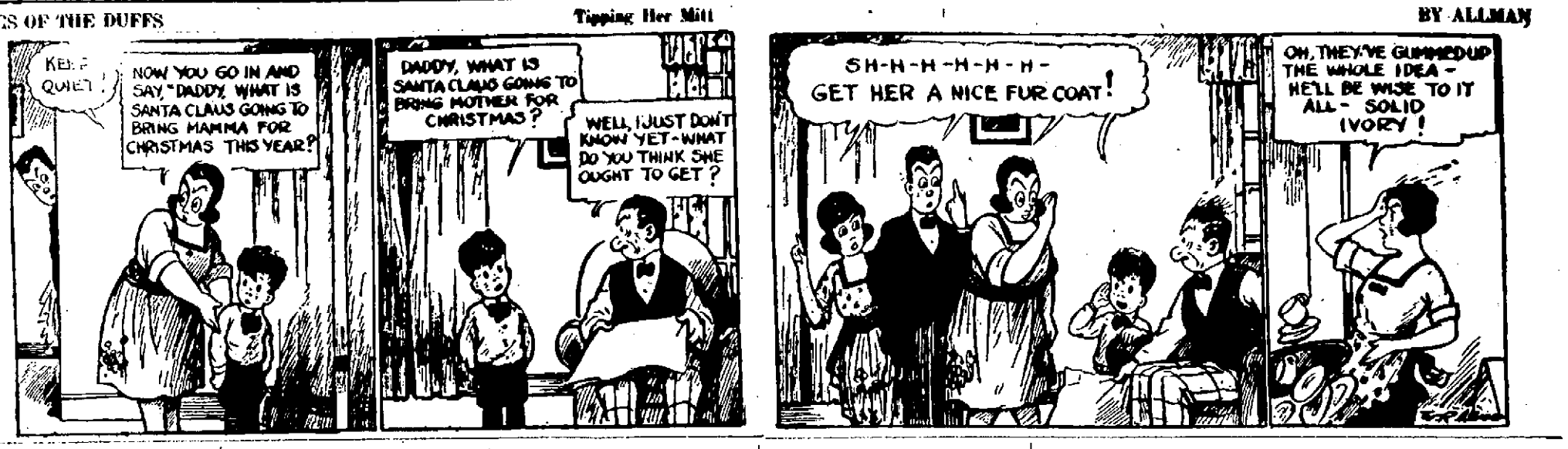

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LODGE NOTICE

—Grand Rapids Chapter No. 89 R. A. M. will hold a public installation of officers at eight-thirty p. m. Monday, Dec. 19th, to which all chapter and Blue Lodge Masons are cordially invited. Dancing will follow the installation ceremonies.

The Committee,
By Edgar F. Kellogg, Secretary.
12-19

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

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For the year 1934, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,270 for principal and interest;

For the year 1935, a tax sufficient to raise the sum of $3,090 for principal and interest;

That the interest maturing September 1, 1922, be paid from the general fund of said City and that said fund be reimbursed in a like amount out of the taxes hereby levied for the year 1922 when the same is collected.

Section 5. That all ordinances, resolutions and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Dated December 6, 1921.

Passed by the Common Council and approved December 6th, 1921.

Chas. E. Briere,
Mayor.
Attest:
F. G. Gilkey,
City Clerk.

Said Ordinance No. 234 as above set forth was duly adopted by the Common Council on roll call, Aldermen John Bamberg, Jake Huber, Ferd Link, O. R. Roenius, W. W. Rickman, John Ernser, Lacy Horton, Pete Tomsyck, James Lynch, Otto Marx, M. C. Whitrock, F. H. Jackson, George Gardner, John Ostroski, voting "aye" and no Alderman voting "no". The Mayor thereupon approved and declared Ordinance No. 234 duly adopted.

On motion and Roll call the following bills were allowed and ordered to be paid.

Bills as allowed:

L. J. Goodness	$ 9.25
Grand Rapids Foundry Co.	31.50
Grand Rapids Foundry Co.	67.00
Rice Dray & Transfer Line	7.25
J. J. Looze	10.50
O. Mortensen	5.00
Edw. Shierer	64.00
Joseph Lay Co.	16.50
Wm. Hess	18.00
J. E. Farley	1.40
Red Wing Sewer Pipe Co.	242.94
Peterson Con's Co.	293.30
Marling Lbr. Co.	417.19
American LaFrance Co.	1.75
F. X. Pomainville	90.15
E. T. McCarthy	8.50
J. A. Staub	8.20
Jensen & Anderson	9.00
Moore's Studio	1.35
Hein & Sutor	25.98
Nash Hardware Co.	67.60
Kellogg Bros. Lbr. Co.	61.13
F. S. Gill	73.25
J. R. Ragan	39.93
Wisc. Supply Co.	2.50
Model Drug Store	1.00
J. D. Smith	56.17
W. G. Henke Co.	1.70
Wood Co. Drug Co.	11.05
B. G. Chandos	6.60
Asse. Mfg. Co.	17.51
Eagle Chemical Co.	62.50
Standard Oil Co.	65.49
Western Union Tel. Co.	.62
Crane Co.	18.10
Irv. Henry Dray Line	5.47
Glene Bros. Inc.	6.30
Wood Co. Tel. Co.	28.43
Wisc. Rapids Tribune	54.80
Wisc. Rapids Electric Co.	609.54

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE WATER DEPT. FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1921

Overdraft, November 1	$24,086.50
Orders drawn in November	5,609.40
Overdraft December 1	$29,695.90

Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., Dec. 6, 1921.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Wisconsin Rapids.

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit the report of my office for the month of November as follows:

Rec'd Nov. 4, of Citizens Nat'l Bank, note	$ 3,000.00
Rec'd Nov. 4 of Wood Co. National Bank, note	3,000.00
Rec'd Nov. 4 of First National Bank, note	3,000.00
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Wm. Hannemann, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Peter Koppel, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of John Worland, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Mary Youker, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of J. B. Arpin, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of A. H. Kleberg, 2 garbage cans	6.50
Rec'd Nov. 5 of F. R. Wheelan, 2 garbage cans	6.50
Rec'd Nov. 5 of O. Garrison, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of O. N. Mortensen, garbage can	3.25
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Krap. Con. Co., dept. earnings	12.80
Rec'd Nov. 5 of Baptist Church, rent G. A. R. Hall	3.00
Rec'd Nov. 8 of Con. Pa. P. Co., dept. earnings	29.25
Rec'd Nov. 8 of Mott & Wood Co., 2 garbage cans	6.50
Rec'd Nov. 8 of Wis. Rapids Oil Co., dept. earnings	5.00
Rec'd Nov. 18 of three banks Wood Co., Citizens and First National	12,000.00
Total	$21,105.06
Nov. 1, cash on hand	$11,719.72
Deposited in November	21,105.06
Total	$32,824.78
Cancelled vouchers in Nov. 19,609.51	
Cash on hand Dec. 1	$13,215.27
Checks outstanding Dec. 1	197.15

Respectfully submitted,
Louis Schall.

On motion Council adjourned.
F. G. Gilkey,
Clerk.

LEGALS

AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
(d3-10-17)

State of Wisconsin, County Court Wood County—In Probate.

In re Estate of Paulina Ostruske, Deceased.

Notice Is Hereby Giben, That at the term of said Court to be held on the 4th Tuesday (being the 27th day) of December, A. D. 1921, at the Court House in the city of Wisconsin Rapids, County of Wood and State of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered the application of John Ostruske, Herman J. Ostruskeand Matilda Hasen, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Paulina Ostruske, late of the village of Nekoosa, in said County, deceased:

Notice Is Hereby Further Given, That at the term of said court to be held at said Court House, on the 1st Tuesday, (being the 4th day) of April A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims said Paulina Ostruske, deceased;

And Notice Is Hereby Further Given, that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House, in the city of Wisconsin Rapids, in said county and state, on or before the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1922, or be barred.

Dated Dec. 3rd, 1921.

By The Court,
J. J. Jeffrey, Attorney for Estate. W. J. Conway, County Judge.

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"Your Money's Worth or Your Money Back"

Bags and Suitcases

A case or bag is a gift that evidences rare discrimination and good taste.
Every Man or Woman knows what a comfort and joy these are in traveling, and will delight in such a present.
These Bags and Cases come in all styles and sizes, for both Men's and Women's use. And are fitted from the simplest manner to the most elaborate styles.

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FRIDSTEIN-ANDERSON Co.
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Your Money's Worth Or Your Money Back.

Johnson & Hill Co.
WISCONSIN RAPIDS, WISCONSIN

TWO HOUR SALE
TONIGHT
HOURS - 7 TO 9 P. M.

Crepe-de-Chine NIGHT GOWNS $4.95 EACH

For tonight only, udring the above hours, Women's CREPE DE CHINE night gowns, offered at the low price of $4.95 each. These are made of the finest quality and every one full size. The color is flesh, some trimmed with lace at top and bottom, some with lace just at the top, while others are hemstitched. Regular value from $6.50 to $7.95. NO EXCHANGES OR APPROVALS ON HOUR ITEMS. NONE SOLD BEFORE SEVEN O'CLOCK. THESE WILL MAKE FINE CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Tri-City A. C. Will Stage Fight Card Here In January

McLEAN MATCHED WITH AL BEYAR IN FEATURE BOUT

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION AGREES TO SUPPORT PROPOSITION; FARLEY HAS PROGRAM ARRANGED

[illegible] of Wisconsin Rapids and Central Wisconsin [illegible] twenty-[illegible] of the best boxing ever shown in this part of the state is the announcement [illegible] by John Farley, chairman of the Tri-City A. C. boxing committee, of a card to be put on at Daly's theater, January [illegible]. Stewart McLean of St. Paul and Al Beyar of Portland, Ore., [illegible] leaders in the 122 pound division, are scheduled for the windup. Eddie Black, who made a great hit here last year, will fight Young White in the semi-windup, and Walter Hein of Port Edwards and Johnny Owens of [illegible] will attempt to [illegible] of the Tri Cities [illegible].

Pledge Support

Twenty to twenty-[illegible] of the athletic association, [illegible] meeting at the Elks club last night, agreed to underwrite the affair. John Farley was named chairman of the boxing committee, other members of which are C. M. Nash, L. P. Daniels, Fred Ragan, Frank Abel and Leo Schnabel. The committee will have charge of the show, and will make arrangements for others if it is deemed advisable.

Has Great Record

Stewart McLean, who will battle Al Beyar in the big bout of the evening, has made a great record around the Twin Cities the last few years, and is being touted by many there as the coming champion of his division. McLean has a record of seven knock outs since 1919, and has never been defeated in that time in a total of nearly forty fights in which he has participated. Beyar also, though less well known in this part of the country, has a great record, and will make the St. Paul boy step.

Is Real Scrapper

Leslie "Young" White of Eau Claire, who meets Eddie Black in the semi-windup, is said to be a real contender for the welterweight crown. He has a record of a win and a draw over Jack Malone who was heralded [illegible] Milwaukee [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] of fights [illegible] boys [illegible] the public here a real treat.

Walter Hein and Johnny Owens who will go six rounds in the preliminary, are both [illegible] Tri-Cities. Both are known [illegible] will fight for every [illegible] the six rounds and will [illegible] of entertainment.

STARK REINFORCES TRI-CITY LINE-UP

The Tri-City team will be [illegible] for their game with the Oshkosh B'Gosh Overalls [illegible] to-night by the return of [illegible] who has been playing with the Appleton team in the professional league [illegible] familiar with the B'Gosh team's style of play. Stark's ability on the basketball court is well known to local fans who watched him [illegible].

With so much good material on hand, Manager Knapp finds it somewhat of a puzzle to decide in advance just what lineup will open the game. The five men starting the game will undoubtedly be chosen from the following: Ratzlaff, Johnson, Plahmer, Hill, Stark, Rasmussen, McCourt and Knapp.

The big game has been scheduled for 9:15, so that business men will be able to attend. Two preliminary games will be played, the first, opening at 7:30.

UNIVERSITY CO-EDS PREFER HUSBANDS TO CAREERS, IS REPORT

Madison, Wis., Dec. 17—Co-eds at the university prefer husbands to careers, almost without exception, judging by replies made to questionnaires distributed by the Commerce Magazine, a student publication. But a negligible minority of the girls replying to questions thought they would rather spend their lives in occupations other than home building.

Freshmen women thought, though, that their suitors would have to be earning $20,000 annually before they would become eligible as suitable husbands. Senior women, after four years of college life, generally expresed themselves as satisfied that a salary of $1200 a year would be sufficient for two to commence married life.

Few senior girls expressed a desire to be wealthy or famous. They would rather be of service to their communities, the questionnaires brought out.

A compilation of answers contained in the 3100 questionnaires show that practically 95 per cent of the women students prefer a co-educational school to a girls' school. Many of them replied that they read the sporting pages of newspapers regularly, one co-ed admitting that she reads a sport magazine of considerable note.

The high cost of being amused is apparently borne by the men students at the university since the average cost of entertainment, in answer to the questionnaire, is $3 a month for the girls, while an average of $25 a month is spent on clothes.

The commerce magazine is seeking to find the qualities which the American college student possesses. Questionnaires have been given the students at the University of Wisconsin, [illegible] which were returned. [illegible] 120 questions [illegible] subjects.

HOPE TO ABOLISH MEXICAN BULL FIGHTS

Mexico City—The newspaper, El Universal has started a campaign against bull fighting which appears to give promise of possible success.

In the belief that the present generation of grownups enjoys the sport so much that its prohibition is impossible, the newspaper is attempting to keep children away from the fights [illegible] and has placed the mayor of Mexico City and the governor of the Federal District, in which Mexico City is located, on record as opposed to boys and girls witnessing the "brutal sport".

Quarter-page pictures of youngsters eagerly watching the gory sights of the arena have been printed and the newspaper asks if this is the sort of environment that makes for culture and refinement. Felix F. Palavicini, editor of El Universal, long ago placed himself on record as unalterably opposed to bullfights, although, in deference to popular opinion, his newspaper carries exhaustive accounts of the corridas. He argues, however, that if the youngsters are now kept away from the fights the next generation will not want them.

ADVERTISED MAIL

List of advertised mail at Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, Dec. 17, 1921.

Gentlemen: Cotell, Roy; Dyzer, John; Harris, Don; Newman, F. E.; Ross, Harry J.; Webster, George J.; Weiland, Julius.

Ladies: Adams, Mrs. Grace; Illbeck, Lillian; Wagner, Lillian; Watner, Mary E.

Postmaster.

Bowling

The Highway bowlers took two out of three from the Cubs last night. Haselton rolled high game with 190 and Lovejoy took high average with 180.

Highways				
Lovejoy	188	189	162	539
Laramie	149	177	176	502
Haselton	130	190	158	478
Drath	172	178	132	482
Noriness	157	158	156	471
Totals	796	892	785	2473
Cubs				
Bodette	177	152	147	476
Middlecamp	178	147	172	497
MBarling	179	145	143	467
Whitrock	167	164	159	490
Perrodin	140	183	160	483
Totals	841	791	781	2413

SCORE TWO KNOCK OUTS IN FIGHTS AT WAUSAU

Wausau, Wis.—In the first boxing exhibition at Wausau Thursday night Matty Smith of Racine knocked out Joe Nelson of Pittsburg in twenty seconds with a right to the point of the jaw, the first blow struck. Jack MacDonald of Wausau and Millard Johnson of Racine fought ten rounds to a draw in the final heavyweight bout. Spike Henderson of Wausau and Fred Erick of Milwaukee, middleweights, fought a draw. Carbon of Kenosha knocked out Kammerer of Wausau in the preliminary in one and one-half minutes. Both boys sustained broken bones in right hand.

Basketball

The Milwaukee Bright Spots defeated the Whiting Red Crowns at Milwaukee last night, 24 to 22. The Red Crowns led 15 to 9 at the end of the first half.

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The Denver Athletic Club five lost to the Beloit Fairies Thursday night, 22 to 18.

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Neenah upset the dope and tumbled Fond du Lac out of first place in the Central Wisconsin professional basketball league by defeating the Cardinals 19 to 12.

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The Central Wisconsin professional basketball league, including teams from Two Rivers, Fond du Lac, Neenah-Menasha, Green Bay, Oshkosh, and Appleton, is reported to be near disruption due to disputes over players. Elliott and Shallberg formerly of the Edisons and Dunn and O'Connor of the Bright Spots and Two Rivers are said to be the cause of the difficulty.

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Marshfield defeated the Ripon All-Stars Thursday evening, 22 to 14.

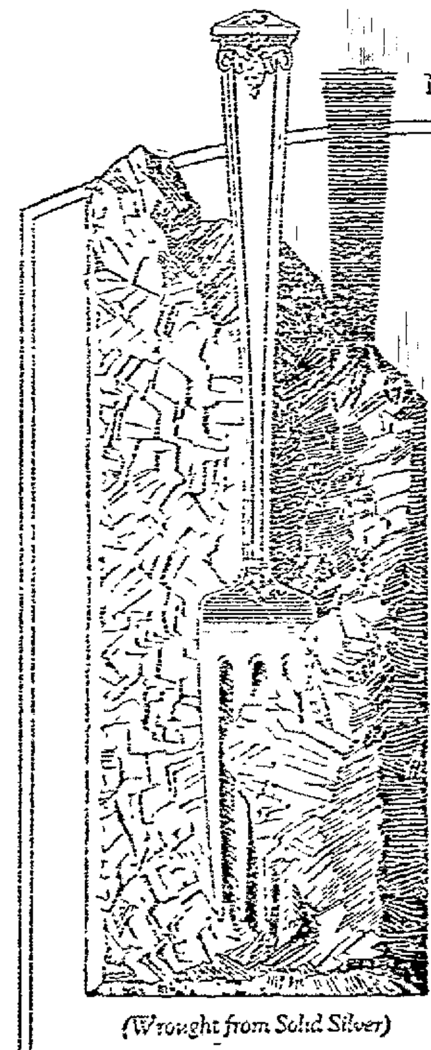
GIBBONS OUTPOINTS O'DOWD AT ST. PAUL

(By Associated Press)

St. Paul, Dec. 17—Mike Gibbons outpointed Mike O'Dowd before a crowd of 7,000 last night and immediately announced his intention of seeking matches with Bryan Downey and Johnny Wilson to establish his claim to the middle-weight title.

INTERNATIONAL STERLING

Masterpieces of the Classics

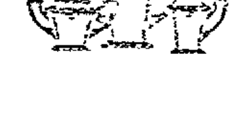


TRIANON DESIGN

THE Trianon design of International Sterling, wrought from solid silver, will go down through the ages as one of the highest achievements of master silversmiths.

A never-tiring sterling silver creation that will gain in beauty and worth as time rolls on the pride of possessing it increasing with the heritage of each generation.

Trianon, at investment prices, is now on exhibition in single pieces and complete table service.



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MICHEL'S JEWELRY STORE—E. J. Schmidt. Prop.

JOHNSON & HILL CO.

WISCONSIN RAPIDS, WISCONSIN

Gifts for Him

Every man is a boy at Christmas time—and looks forward to his gifts as the veriest boy of boys. On every hand throughout our large Clothing and Furnishing department there are dozens of gift suggestions for men. Not just something to give him—but the sort of thing he would like to buy himself, but never does.

Luggage

Men will appreciate a nice traveling bag or suit case. A good durable one need not be expensive—in fact, a very desirable cowhide bag sells as low as $9.00. Other styles to $50.00. A very fine Gladstone bag for gentlemen's use is the new [illegible]. Come in and see them.

Mufflers

Silk and Wool mufflers bought especially for the holiday season are in a full assortment. Knit mufflers in a wide range. Priced from $1.75 to $8.50.

Handkerchiefs

A man can never have too many handkerchiefs. Our showing is the best we ever had. Initialed ones from 15c to 50c. The new "Sheykh" handkerchief at 50c each. Box handkerchiefs 75c, $1.00, $1.50. The pure linen ones at each, 50c.

Suits

We have sold several suits that are going to be Christmas pres[ents]. That is a very good idea—a suit is a very useful article and would be appreciated by any man. Price range, $20.00 to $45.00.

Bathrobes

Every man has use for a Bathrobe and they are wonderful gifts. In plain colors and the famous Navajo Indian patterns. Each and every one is comfortable and warm. The price range is from $7.50 to $12.50.

Neckwear

Rich patterns in Silk Ties are shown in a complete color range. Others are of knitted silk or fibre. 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 to $2.50.

Hosiery

Pure silk hose in full fashioned style in black and all the wanted colors. All sizes 75c.

Fancy wool and silk and wool hose, plain or drop stitch weave. Some have embroidery clocks. Shown in heather mixtures, grey, white, cordovan, etc., $1.00 to $1.50.

Overcoats

An overcoat will make a very useful gift. Our complete line of overcoats is divided into three lots and are at very low price. All the very latest styles and prices up to $50 arrange in price from $19.95 to $33.95.

Gloves

Men's gloves in kid, suedes, buckskins, horsehide and wool worsted. In a wide selection of colors—75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.75 to $5.00.

Dress Shirts

Fine dress shirts in stripe madras. All in the most desirable patterns. Some with the fine fibre silk stripes—the kind any man will be proud to wear. $2.00 to $3.55. All silk ones as high as $7.50.

Wool Dress Shirts

Wool dress shirts are very fine for gifts. Many men prefer a wool shirt to a madras one during the winter. They come in a wide selection of colors including the new shapes of green and grey. Priced from $1.65 to $5.00.

Leather Vests

Vests of moleskin and corduroy bodies, leather bodies and sheep-lined inside. They make a practical gift. All sizes are to be had. Price range from $6.45 to $15.00.

Suspenders

A useful gift to many men. In the light or heavy weight, 35c to $1.00.

Belts

For men and boys, a very large assortment. In different colors and styles—55c to $1.50.

Christmas Week Hours

We wish to announce to the public that or store will be open evenings next week. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday we will be open until 9 P. M. SATURDAY EVENING WE WILL CLOSE AT SIX P. M. sharp, and remain closed until Tuesday morning, 8 A. M. Our reason for closing at 6 P. M. Saturday evening, Christmas Eve, is to allow our employees to attend the Christmas services that are held in the Churches. Remember, there is only 6 more shopping days left. We urge shopping to be done in the mornings, if possible.

Auto Robes

For the entire family, a Auto Robe. During this season of the year, whether one is driving a closed or open car, a robe is a very handy article. We have them in many different patterns and in the light and heavy weight—$5.95 to $25.00.

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SOCIETY *News of Interest To Women* EVENTS

Yearly Supper Party—

The members of the Senior Class of the Lincoln High School, very delightfully entertained the Faculty Friday evening at a five-thirty cafeteria supper served in the serving room at the Witter building.

Following supper the guests marched to the music room which had been gaily decorated for the occasion with colors of red and green. Santa Claus appeared on the scene soon after, and distributed gifts to all present.

A movie show then followed, Clarence Reiland appearing as the heroine and Robert Reiland as the hero. These brilliant stars were supported by a fine cast.

Miss Ruby Treutel sang an illustrated solo entitled "Little Orphant Annie" in a very creditable manner. She was accompanied on the piano by Miss Bess Bradford.

The next number on the program was a shadow film comedy with a fine cast of funny people which was one of the enjoyable features of the entertainment.

The evening fun closed with dancing, music being furnished by the High School Orchestra, assisted by Miss Clayre Thurber and Walter Burt.

The entertainment was in charge of Miss Bess Bradford who proved her ability by its success and enjoyment.

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Kensington Tea—

The S. A. C. Club, a newly organized social club, held its initial meeting Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. R. E. Balch, Corner Ninth and Wylie streets, where a Kensington Tea was enjoyed. Christmas decorations adorned the rooms, the feature being a Christmas tree sparkling with many bright colored ornaments, and festooned with ropes of tinsel.

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Surprise Party—

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bender, 377 9th st. S., entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Laura Witt, a bride of the near future. Several interesting games were played, prizes being won by Mrs. W. A. Baldauf and Miss Witt. At 10:30 a delicious lunch was served after which two tables were used in playing cards. Frank Calkins held high score and C. K. Crause low score.

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Church Night —

The Church Night celebration at the First Congregational Church Thursday evening was a hugh success there being a large attendance than ever before.

The entertainment consisted of several numbers by a quartet of High School girls, solos by Mrs. D. Waters. E. H. Justice, the new scout executive gave a short talk after which several numbers were given by an orchestra composed of Clarence Jackson, Hugh Goggins, Mr. Simpson and Mrs. Herbert Karberg.

The next Church Night will be held Thursday, December 21.

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E. F. U. Meet.—

At the meeting of the E. F. U. lodge last night, one new member was initiated.

It was also decided to give a supper, public installation and dance January 5, 1922. A public speaker has ben secured for the occasion from Neenah.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Sadie Wolcott and children arrived home this morning from Saratoga where they spent some time at the Wolcott home.

Miss Emily Mead who attends Dana Hall at Wellesley, Conn., arrived home Thursday morning to remain over the holiday season. She was accompanied from Chicago by her mother, Mrs. George W. Mead, who met her in that city.

Eugene Hess wh attends Carroll College at Waukesha arrived home Friday afternoon for the holidays.

Miss Jessie Chase of Wautoma is a week end guest of her sister Miss Ruth Chase who is employed in this city.

I. E. Wilcox returned Friday from a business trip to Necedah.

Mrs. Irmegarde Morrison left this noon for her home in Ft. Atkinson after an extended visit with friends in this city.

Ben Crosby returned this morning from a businses trip to Necedah.

Stanley Starks who is a student at Lawrence college in Appleton will arrive home today to remain until after the New Year.

T. A. Taylor left Friday evening on a business trip to Chicago.

Architect F. H. Manske left this noon for Milwaukee, on a two weeks business trip.

Miss Beatrice Richards, who teaches in St. Cloud, Minn., public schools arrived home this morning to spend the holiday vacation.

Rev. R. F. Pouts of Clintonville was a Friday visitor in this city.

Announcements have been received from Mr. and Mrs. William R. Lockert of Tacoma, Wash., of the arrival of a daughter, December Twelfth. Mrs. Lockert was formerly Miss Gladys Natwick of this city.

David Levin, a student at Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill., will arrive this evening to remain over the holidays at his home in this city.

Fred Thusins of Wausau spent Friday with friends in this city.

Miss Ethel Anderson who teaches in the Rudolph school is spending the week end at her home here.

Miss Sophie Middelstead, bookkeeper at Gottschalk and Anderson Grocery store is confined to her home with a severe cold.

Miss Susan McFarland, 441 8th avenue south, her guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bender of Bradley, S. Dak., returned Friday evening from a visit with relatives in Three Lakes. Mr. and Mrs. Bender left for Plainfield this morning to visit relatives over the week end.

H. C. Knapp, manager of the basket ball team, returned this morning from a business trip to Milwaukee.

Miss Thelma Bohn and Donald McGlynn, who attend Lawrence College, at Appleton, arrived Friday evening to spend the holiday vacation at their homes in this city.

Mrs. John Kennedy of Auburndale who has been visiting at the Jos. Berdan home left this morning for her home.

Frank Waterstreet of 659 9th Ave. S., left today to spend the Christmas holidays at Green Bay and Kewanee.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Mitchell, returned yesterday afternoon from Fairchild where they spent the summer.

Mr. Harker, teacher at the Lincoln High School left last evening for Argyle, Wis., to spend the holidays.

Miss Ruth Parks who attends Stevens Point Normal arrived home to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Parks, Oak St.

Chas. Zeroth left for Rock Island, Ill., to spend the Christmas holidays.

Ward Johnson left today for Madison, Milwaukee and Janesville on a business trip.

Miss Anna Gibson who teaches at the Lowell School left for her home at Dodgeville for her vacation.

Miss Hazel Parks left for Marshfield where she will spend the week end.

Miss Edna Hatch, teacher at the Lincoln High School is spending her Christmas vacation at her home in Spring Green.

Mrs. Idwin Graetz and son Robert left for Milwaukee Thursday to spend the holidays with friends and relatives.

Al Schenker of Chicago is a week end visitor of friends in the city.

George Bankert spent Friday in Mosinee.

Albert Schankert of Chicago, is a week end guest of friends in this city

LEST YOU FORGET
Tonight

Palace Theater—Thos. Meighan in "The Easy Road."

Ideal Theater—Roy Stewart in "Sheriff Jim."

Basketball game—Tri-City A. C. vs. Oshkosh B'Gosh Overalls.

Port Edwards Auditorium—"Henry, the Magician."

Future Dates

Dec. 18. Palace Theater—Conway Tearle in "The Fighter."

Dec. 18. Ideal Theater—Marie Provost in "Moonlight Follies."

Dec. 19. F. & A. M. Installation.

Dec. 20. Palace Theater—Alice Brady in "The Land of Hope."

Dec. 21-22. Palace Theater—Constance Talmadge in "In Search of a Sinner."

Jan. 12. Port Edwards Auditorium—Skovgaard, the Danish Violinist, in recital.

Jan 2. E. F. U. Supper and Dance.

THEATRES

PALACE THEATER

Beautiful exterior scenes, a thrilling railroad wreck and lavish studio sets are among the many features of the new Conway Tearle picture, "The Fighter," which will be shown at the Palace theater tomorrow.

"The Fighter" was written by Albert Payson Terhune and is said to be among the best photoplays in which Conway Tearle has been starred. Lovely Winifred Westover plays the leading feminine role and direction was by Henry Kolker.

The story has to do with a man who by dint of his inherent fighting disposition, has won his way to the top of the heap in the commercial world. He is a man's man throughout and has little time or thought for the frivolities of life. But his ward, Dey Shevlin (Miss Westover), has just reached the budding stage and, as with most debutantes, she has an eye open for high social opportunities. Her guardian, despite his lack of interest in things socially, determines that his ward shall have her wish and it is then that The Fighter finds himself confronted with the most difficult struggle in his fighting career. His enemies find a new avenue of attack that heretofore had remained closed to them and the battle that ensues makes for one of the most engrossing bits of screen fiction ever shown.

Another big feature of this new Conway Tearle picture is a thrilling train wreck in which the hero and his engine in which he is racing pitches off a burning trestle into a river some two hundred feet below. The scene carries all the realism and thrill of a genuine wreck and was secured at great expense and hazard on the part of those filming it.

IDEAL THEATER

One of the most distinguished casts assembled for a screen production in recent weeks may be seen in "The Barricade," produced by William Christy Cabanne for R-C Pictures Corporation and scheduled for screening at the Ideal theater beginning Tuesday.

Mr. Cabanne, always insistent upon true types for the various roles in his productions, selected all his players with an eye to their especial fitness for the parts to which they were assigned.

Kenneth Harlan, juvenile lead, who portrays the part of Robert Brennan who was reared from boyhood by a kindly old Hebrew, has won a high reputation as a skillful actor. In support of Constance Talmadge he has done particularly good work.

Katherine Spencer, well known on the stage and screen, plays opposite Mr. Harlan and gives a distinguished performance. Miss Spencer has a role to which she gives the full scope of her unusual talents. As a young woman of high standing in social life, she portrays her part with great skill.

William A. Strauss has the most important role. As an elderly Hebrew who rears the young Irish boy and enables him to attain success as a physician, he puts into effect his theory that genuine love and human understanding do far more to beget happiness than prejudice and false pride.

Mr. Strauss has for years been prominent on the stage as a character actor and leading man and frequently "followed" David Warfield in that famous actor's roles in road productions such as "The Music Master," "The Auctioneer" and others. As a screen actor, too, Mr. Strauss has built for himself a formidable reputation.

Eugene Borden, as Sam Steiner, a ne'er-do-well, is one of the outstanding members of the cast. He will be recalled for his artistic playing in "The Stealers" and others of Mr. Cabanne's productions. Mr. Borden is a young actor of high attainments.

Dorothy Richards, James Harrison and John O'Connor, the latter a juvenile actor of unusual skill, also appear in Mr. Cabanne's extraordinary cast.

"The Barricade" will be shown at the Ideal theater Tuesday and Wednesday, December 21 and 22.

SCHOOLHOUSE IS BEST AGENT FOR AMERICANIZATION

Madison, Wis.,—The one room school house is proving to be the greatest force for Americanization of Wisconsin's so-called "foreign settlements", which are particularly numerous in the newly developed sections of the northern counties, according to G. M. Householder of the state bureau of immigration.

With the establishment of the American school in settlements, often made up of foreigners retaining the customs of their home country, comes a gradual transformation that cannot be resisted, Mr. Householder said. Children take up the language and the ways of modern America which they carry into their homes, he declared, bringing about a change from the old country conventions.

Many Foreigners

Scattered throughout the northern counties of the state are small communities where the foreigners of like nationalities congregate according to the immigration bureau. Germans and Scandinavians head the list of foreign born, with Slavs and Poles in somewhat smaller numbers, and scattered settlements of Swiss, Hollanders, Bohemians and Danes.

Into this country with the other American settlers have come Kentuckians, who have taken to wood cutting in Forest county. Their settlements are said tohave a resemblance to their former Kentucky hill homes, with moonshining not uncommon.

While foreign born are numerous in sections of the state, the great influx of immigrants here are from the corn belt states, settled Americans who wish to buy farms of their own; Mr. Householder said. Their influence, he declared, is to bring a change from the old world customs of their foreign born neighbors.

School Americanizes

But the real influence for Americanization, in his opinion, is the one room school, and along with it, the county agent extending boys and girls club work. Entering the home through the children is the best way to improve the standard of living of a family that has not yet acquired American ways, nor the English language.

The Germans, Scandinavians and the Bohemians are said to be exceptionally good managers and general farmers, and to have been active in developing the cut-over sections of the north. They Americanize rapidly and are said to be quick in taking advantage of more advanced farming methods.

The most important industry is said to be dairying. New methods are rapidly being adopted by the foreigners through activity of the schools and county agents, and with more advanced farming ways, the industry is declared to be rapidly developing.

CHILDREN EARNING OWN XMAS MONEY

Great enthusiasm has been shown by the children of the Lincoln and Irving School Kindergartens, who are planning Christmas presents for their parents. In order to get the gifts, they have been earning and saving pennies and bringing them to the kindergarten. When they have earned the necessary amounts, the gifts will be purchased and put into a box which they have made.

Some very interesting and amusing tasks have been performed by them in earning their money. Here are some of the tasks as reported by the children:

Howard Leland helped put the chairs near the dining table. Jimmie Hanneman got in the daily paper and brought potatoes and onions up from the cellar. Donald Reiland took up the dishes for his mother. Betty McGlynn wiped dishes. Frank Gaulke dressed his little brother and go him ready to go to town. Helen Arndt took care of the baby for mother. Ralph Sampson went down town for his sister Janet. Howard Horton, Jr. carried wood. Lois Stahl washed and wiped the dishes and pumped water. Madeline Lew swept the kitchen floor. Leonard Smith went to the store for milk. Pattie Howard picked up the sewing scraps. Jimmie Minehan swept the floor for his mother. Dorothy Hanneman wiped the dishes. Susan Turbin cleaned house. Doris Gleue put clean paper in the knife box. Marvin Love took Mrs. Slattery's hammer to his grandpa to have it fixed.

Numerous other tasks were done by these small children who have caught the Christmas spirit and are working hard to be a real Santa Claus themselves.

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ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION AGREES TO SUPPORT PROPOSITION; FARLEY HAS PROGRAM ARRANGED

Fight fans of Wisconsin Rapids and Central Wisconsin are promised twenty-four rounds of the best boxing ever shown in this part of the state in the announcement this morning by John Farley, chairman of the Tri-City A. C. boxing committee, of a card to be put on at Daly's theater, January 5. Stewart McLean of St. Paul and Al Beyar of Portland, Ore., both leaders in the 122 pound division, are scheduled for the wind-up. Eddie Black, who made a great hit here last year will fight Young White in the semi-windup, and Walter Hein of Port Edwards and Johnny Owens of Nekoosa will attempt to settle the fistic supremacy of the Tri-Cities in the preliminary.

Pledge Support

Twenty to twenty-five members of the athletic association, at a meeting at the Elks club last night, agreed to underwrite the affair. John Farley was named chairman of the boxing committee, other members of which are C. M. Nash, L. P. Daniels, Fred Rayan, Frank Abel and Fred Schnabel. The committee will have charge of the show, and will make arrangements for others if it is deemed advisable.

Has Great Record

Stewart McLean, who will battle Al Beyar in the big bout of the evening, has made a great record around the Twin Cities the last few years, and is being touted by many there as the coming champion of his division. McLean has a record of seven knock outs since 1919, and has never been defeated in that time in a total of nearly forty fights in which he has participated. Beyar also, though less well known in this part of the country, has a great record, and will make the St. Paul boy step.

Is Real Scrapper

Leslie "Young" White of Eau Claire, who meets Eddie Black in the semi-windup, is said to be a real contender for the welterweight crown. He has a record of a win and a draw over Jack Malone who was heralded by Tommy Andrews, Milwaukee promoter and sport writer as the coming world champion of the division. Eddie Black appeared here a couple of times last year and showed a style of fighting that won the approval of local enthusiasts. Promoter Farley feels confident that in matching these boys he is offering the public here a real treat.

Walter Hein and Johnny Owens who will go six rounds in the preliminary, are both well known in the Tri-Cities. Both are known as boys who will fight for every minute of the six rounds and will furnish plenty of entertainment.

STARK REINFORCES TRI-CITY LINE-UP

The Tri-City team will be strengthened for their game with the Oshkosh B'Gosh Overalls at the Armory tonight by the return of Stanley Stark who has been playing with the Appleton team in the professional league the fall and is familiar with the B'Gosh team's style of play. Stark's ability on the basketball court is well known to local fans who watched him last year.

With so much good material on hand, Manager Knapp finds it somewhat of a puzzle to decide in advance just what lineup will open the game. The five men starting the game will undoubtedly be chosen from the following: Ritchay, Johnson, Plahmer, Hill, Stark, Rasmussen, McCourt and Knapp.

The big game has been scheduled for 9:15, so that business men will be able to attend. Two preliminary games will be played, the first, opening at 7:30.

UNIVERSITY CO-EDS PREFER HUSBANDS TO CAREERS, IS REPORT

Madison, Wis., Dec. 17—Co-eds at the universtiy prefer husbands to careers, almost without exception, judging by replies made to questionnaires distributed by the Commerce Magazine, a student publication. But a negligible minority of the girls replying to questions thought they would rather spend their lives in occupations other than home building.

Freshmen women thought, though, that their suitors would have to be earning $20,000 annually before they would become eligible as suitable husbands. Senior women, after four years of college life, generally expressed themselves as satisfied that a salary of $1200 a year would be sufficient for two to commence married life.

Few senior girls expressed a desire to be wealthy or famous. They would rather be of service to their communities, the questionnaires brought out.

A compilation of answers contained in the 3100 questionnaires show that practically 95 per cent of the women students prefer a co-educational school to a girls' school. Many of them replied that they read the sporting pages of newspapers regularly, one co-ed admitting that she reads a sport magazine of considerable note.

The high cost of being amused is apparently borne by the men students at the university since the average cost of entertainment, in answer to the questionnaire, is $3 a month for the girls, while an average of $25 a month is spent on clothes.

The commerce magazine is seeking to find the qualities which the American college student possesses. Questionnaires have been given the students at the University of Wisconsin, 3100 of which were returned. Each questionnaire has 120 questions covering 50 different subjects.

HOPE TO ABOLISH MEXICAN BULL FIGHTS

Mexico City—The newspaper, El Universal has started a campaign against bull fighting which appears to give promise of possible success.

In the belief that the present generation of grownups enjoys the sport so much that its prohibition is impossible, the newspaper is attempting to keep children away from the fights. To to that end has placed the mayor of Mexico City and the governor of the Federal District, in which Mexico City is located, on record as opposed to boys and girls witnessing the "brutal sport".

Quarter-page pictures of youngsters eagerly watching the gory sights of the arena have been printed and the newspaper asks if this is the sort of environment that makes for culture and refinement. Felix F. Palavicini, editor of El Universal, long ago placed himself on record as unalterably opposed to bullfights, although, in deference to popular opinion, his newspaper carries exhaustive accounts of the corridas. He argues, however, that if the youngsters are now kept away from the fights the next generation will not want them.

ADVERTISED MAIL

List of advertised mail at Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, Dec. 17, 1921.

Gentlemen: Cotell, Roy; Dyzer, John; Harris, Don; Newman, F. E.; Ross, Harry J.; Webster, George J.; Weiland, Julius.

Ladies: Adams, Mrs. Grace; Illbeck, Lillian; Wagner, Lillian; Warner, Mary E.

Postmaster.

Bowling

The Highway bowlers took two out of three from the Cubs last night. Haselton rolled high game with 190 and Lovejoy took high average with 180.

Highways

Lovejoy	188	189	162	539
Laramie	149	177	176	502
Haselton	130	190	158	478
Drath	172	178	133	483
Nordness	157	158	156	471
Totals	796	892	785	2473

Cubs

Bodette	177	152	147	476
Middlecamp	178	147	172	497
MBarling	179	145	143	467
Whitrock	167	164	159	490
Perrodin	140	183	160	483
Totals	841	791	781	2413

SCORE TWO KNOCK OUTS IN FIGHTS AT WAUSAU

Wausau, Wis.—In the first boxing exhibition at Wausau Thursday night Matty Smith of Racine knocked out Joe Nelson of Pittsburg in twenty seconds with a right to the point of the jaw, the first blow struck. Jack MacDonald of Wausau and Millard Johnson of Racine fought ten rounds to a draw in the final heavyweight bout Spike Henderson of Wausau and Fred Brick of Milwaukee, middleweights, fought a draw. Carbon of Kenosha knocked out Kammerer of Wausau in the preliminary in one and one-half minutes. Both boys sustained broken bones in right hand.

Basketball

The Milwaukee Bright Spots defeated the Whiting Red Crowns at Milwaukee last night, 24 to 22. The Red Crowns led 15 to 9 at the end of the first half.

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The Denver Athletic Club five lost to the Beloit Fairies Thursday night, 22 to 18.

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Neenah upset the dope and tumbled Fond du Lac out of first place in the Central Wisconsin professional basketball league by defeating the Cardinals 19 to 12.

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The Central Wisconsin professional basketball league, including teams from Two Rivers, Fond du Lac, Neenah-Menasha, Green Bay, Oshkosh, and Appleton, is reported to be near disruption due to disputes over players. Elliott and Shallberg formerly of the Edisons and Dunn and O'Connor of the Bright Spots and Two Rivers are said to be the cause of the difficulty.

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Marshfield defeated the Ripon All-Stars Thursday evening, 22 to 14.

GIBBONS OUTPOINTS O'DOWD AT ST. PAUL

(By Associated Press)

St. Paul, Dec. 17—Mike Gibbons outpointed Mike O'Dowd before a crowd of 7,000 last night and immediately announced his intention of seeking matches with Bryan Downey and Johnny Wilson to establish his claim to the middle-weight title.

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Suits

We have sold several suits that are going to be Christmas presents. That is a very good idea—a suit is a very useful article and would be appreciated by any man. Price range, $20.00 to $45.00.

Bathrobes

Every man has use for a Bathrobe and they are wonderful gifts. In plain colors and the famous Navajo Indian patterns. Each and every one is comfortable and warm. The price range is from $7.50 to $12.50.

Neckwear

Rich patterns in Silk Ties are shown in a complete color range. Others are of knitted silk or fibre. 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 to $2.50.

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Pure silk hose in full fashioned style in black and all the wanted colors. All sizes 75c.

Fancy wool and silk and wool hose, plain or drop stitch weave. Some have embroidery clocks. Shown in heather mixtures, grey, white, cordovan, etc., $1.00 to $1.50.

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An overcoat will make a very useful gift. Our complete line of overcoats is divided into three lots and are at very low price. All the very latest styles and prices up to $50 arrange in price from $19.95 to $33.95.

Gloves

Men's gloves in kid, suedes, buckskins, horsehide and wool worsted. In a wide selection of colors—75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.75 to $5.00.

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Wool dress shirts are very fine for gifts. Many men prefer a wool shirt to a madras one during the winter. They come in a wide selection of colors including the new shapes of green and grey. Priced from $1.65 to $5.00.

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Vests of moleskin and corduroy bodies, leather bodies and sheep-lined inside. They make a practical gift. All sizes are to be had. Price range from $6.45 to $15.00.

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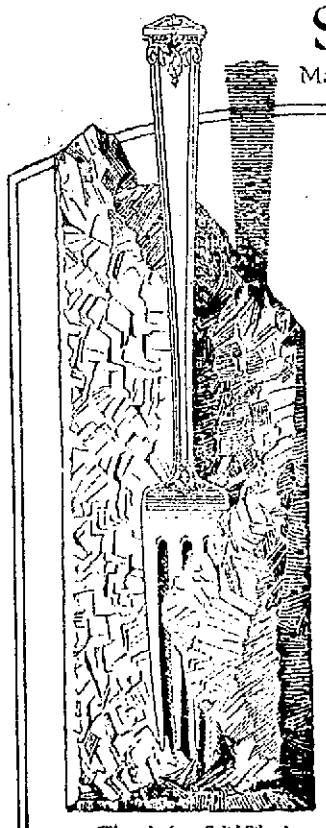

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